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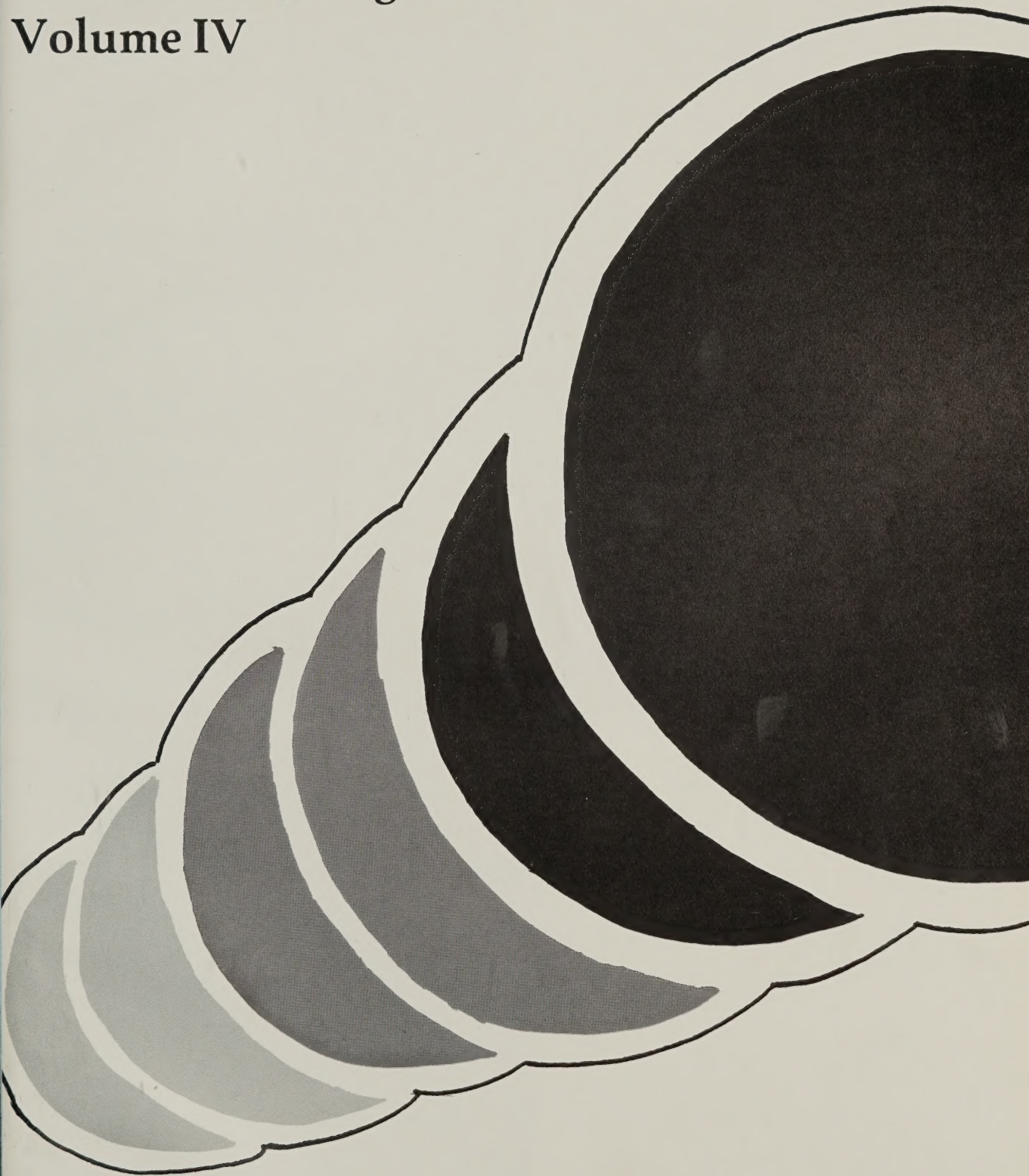


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It was once predicted that Cumberland County's population would decline and that soon Cumberland would just become a forgotten spot.

Predictors based this assumption on the fact that as the young people in the county grew and married, instead of staying in the county to work and to raise their children, they moved to the "city" to gain excitement and to hold better jobs.





All of a sudden Cumberland began to grow. The topography took on a new dimension. There were no longer so many huge open fields. Houses and trailers sprang up over night. Swimming pools were put in. Landscaping came about. New buildings were put up. The city was moving to the country.





Why did the people come. They came to escape the noise and pollution. They came to escape crowded housing and school conditions. Many people were lost in the city. They had nowhere to turn. They came to escape the anomity of city life and take up the closeness of country life.







People did come to get away from city crowds, but in so doing they brought the crowds to the country--and to CHS. Things had to change--students moved in, buildings were built, 7th graders were brought to CHS for the first time, and new teachers were hired.

There are now crowds, where there once were only a few people. Fashions, hair styles, and dances are keeping up with the city. Cumberland is beginning to offer the best of two worlds, the quietness of the country with the stylishness of the city.



ATHLETICS





We May Not Be The Best . . .



SCORES		
CUMBERLAND		OPPONENTS
0	Buckingham	33
6	Fluvanna	14
6	Bluestone	8
0	Prince Edward	6
8	Clover Hill	33
0	Amelia	18
8	Page County	8
0	Charles City	16
21	Powhatan	34
0	Goochland	18



Above Right: Sylvester Lipscomb completes one. Above: Another first down for Curtis Lyons.



Above: First Row--Freddie Hawkins--manager, Howard Fox, Marvin Meadows, Sylvester Lipscomb, Ronnie Saunders, Randy Martin, Bobby Flipper--manager; Second--Wayne Conner, Robert Adams, Darryl Oliver, Dee Edwards, Gordon Dickerson, Howard Furgeson; Third--Curtis Lyons, Pat Fisher, Harry Davenport, Curtis Gilliam, Harold Carter, Malcolm Vannoy, Rodney Franklin.



Ronnie Saunders holds onto it for a first down.

But We Try Harder

The Dukes had a disappointing season with a final record of 0-9-1. This, however, does not tell the whole story. The offense came alive against Powhatan scoring 21 points. The defense was also strong. Led by all-district Ronnie Saunders, the Dukes were able to tie Page County in the Homecoming game.

J.V. Football Scores

Cumberland		Opponent
6	Buckingham	28
0	Fluvanna	12
6	Amelia	14
6	Charlotte C.H.	8
6	Prince Edward	0
18	Powhatan	36
0	Goochland	42

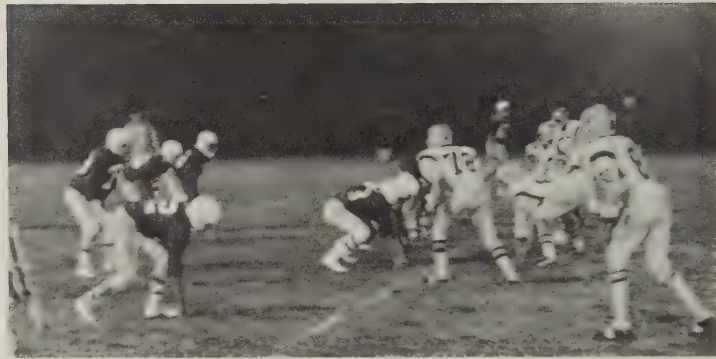
Anticipating victory, the offensive players line up for the winning touchdown against Prince Edward.

We Won One!

Although ending up with a 1-6 win-loss record, the J.V. team, under the direction of Coach Cosby, put together a lot of effort and improvement as their season progressed. After losing close games to Amelia and Charlotte, these dedicated athletes played hard and well against Prince Edward to win 6 to 0!

Leading the offense for the Dukes was quarterback Cleveland Johnson. Sustaining the passing game were receivers Curtis Brown, Danny Oliver, and Ivan Robinson.

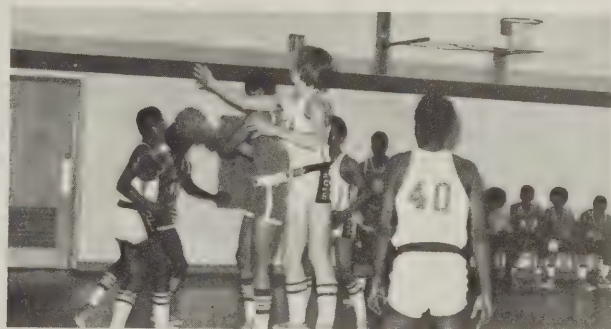
The defense played consistently throughout most of the season, and players like Rufus Blanton and Tim Woodson helped keep a number of games very close and exciting.





J.V. Players Coming On Strong

The JV Basketball team under the direction of Coach Cosby, did an outstanding job. The boys took their sand lot skills and began to employ them in one team effort. The team learned to jump, shoot, and rebound. Everyone of them improved and added finesse to their game.



TOP LEFT: JV Dukes add two points to the score. TOP RIGHT: JV Dukes scramble to keep the ball. ABOVE: JV Dukes: KNEELING: Antoine Johnson, Cleveland Johnson, Stepney Gilliam, Lewis Crews, Wayne Holcomb, Ivan Robinson, Thomas Reed STANDING: Coach Cosby, Keith Gilliam, Aubrey Burgess, Tim Dickson, Larry Ford, Ronnie Johnson Cuetis Brown, Mark Miller, Andre Gilliam, Clifford Harris, Lionell Brown, Wayne Langhorne.

Dukes Literally Fall Short

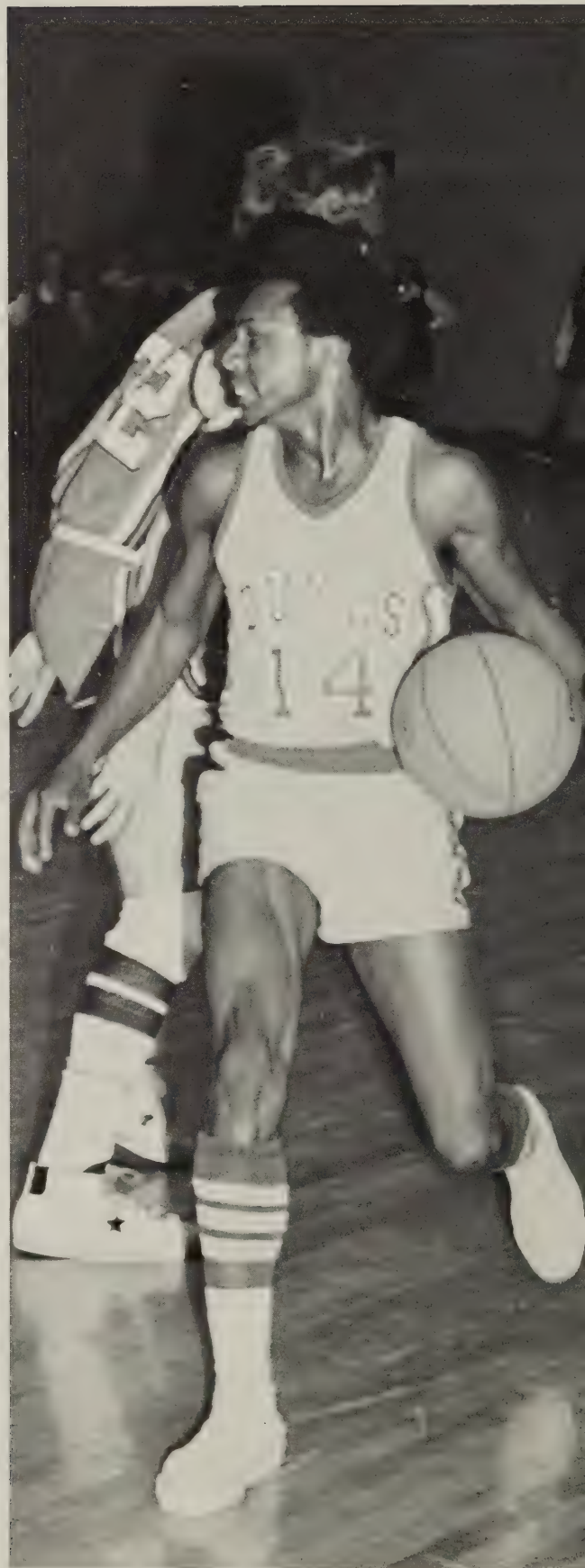
Below: Harold Carter leaps above his opponent to tap the ball for CHS. Right: Jerry Wilson goes down the court for two.



Cumberland's 1975-76 Varsity Basketball team was composed of thirteen excellent players. Despite their height disadvantage, the Dukes managed to hold a 7-7 district record and 10-9 overall, placing them fourth in the James River District.

Highlights of the season included the two wins over Buckingham with Jerry Wilson and Curtis Gilliam scoring high in double figures, and the two close games in which the Dukes managed to come from behind to defeat their arch rival, Fluvanna.

The team's co-captains were Joe Brooks, Sylvester Lipscomb, and Jerry Wilson. The co-captains and Harold Carter were the only seniors and will not be returning next year.





LEFT: Varsity Basketball Team--KNEELING: Ervin Boatwright, Gordon Dickerson, Thomas Brooks, Reggie Langhorne, Chris Reid, managers; STANDING: Coach James Johnson, Willie Allen, Joe Brooks, Ronald Williams, Daniel Robinson, Harold Carter, Curtis Gilliam, Kenneth Johnson, Sylvester Lipscomb, Abraham Langhorne, Herman Trent, Billy Trent, Jerry Wilson. BELOW: Curtis Gilliam shoots high in the air for 2 points.

SCORES		
CUMBERLAND		OPPONENTS
80	Lunenburg	75
60	Clover Hill	81
80	Goochland	58
53	Fluvanna	42
69	Lunenburg	58
62	Powhatan	71
58	Buckingham	55
65	Prince Edward	80
60	Amelia	46
72	Clover Hill	94
67	Goochland	49
55	Fluvanna	50
63	Powhatan	78
58	Prince Edward	80
55	Buckingham	52
63	Amelia	65



New Girls Play One Of The



Girls Basketball Scores

Cumberland	Opponent	
32	Goochland	49
33	Buckingham	55
29	Prince Edward	16
35	Clover Hill	65
33	Powhatan	66
36	Amelia	25
24	Goochland	25
26	Fluvanna	41
21	Buckingham	42
36	Amelia	31
29	Prince Edward	28
37	Clover Hill	43
28	Powhatan	43
25	Fluvanna	53

Team Picture: Back: Kelly Turner, Stephanie Hicks, Darcy Williams, Carolyn Higgins, Gonzalee Mosby, Carolyn Blanton, Elnora Gilliam, Brenda Trent, Penny Moorefield, Pearl Mosby, Jeanette Rohde, Linda Wiley, and Darleen Robertson. Front: Lucy Blackwell, Cordell West, Carolyn Jackson, Cindy McAbee, Miss Kimbleton (coach), Adrienne Gilliam, Jackie Wilson, Cathy Brown, and Arlene Crews. Right: Setting up an offensive play, Eleanora Gilliam dribbles the ball down court.



World's Oldest Games



The 1975 Dukette basketball season was disappointing in terms of having a winning season, but a rewarding season in terms of gaining experience and teamwork. Throughout the season, the Dukettes became an evenly balanced offensive team. At times, their defensive play would stun their opponents, and the games would almost be claimed by the Dukettes. It was certainly a "rebuilding" season for the girls who had the determination but lacked the necessary experience to win.



Above Left: Dukettes get ready for the big win! Left: Lucy Blackwell eyes the ball as she gets ready for the tap. Above: Carolyn Jackson leaps to victory.

Student Athletes Cited For Ability

Team members on eight winter and spring sports teams were given recognition for their outstanding contributions to Cumberland's athletic program as they were feted at the annual sports banquet. The guest speaker for the program was Coach Harold Deane, head basketball coach at Virginia State College in Ettrick. In his speech he stressed the three A's at Virginia State--attitude, academics and athletics. The awards presented to CHS athletes fell into those three categories. They were cited for their attitudes to become improved players, for their scholarship and for their athletic superiority.



ABOVE RIGHT: Sylvester Lipscomb is the school's Best All-Around Athlete this year. Adrienne Gilliam was cited with the SCA Scholar Athlete Award. ABOVE: Five girls on the softball team received trophies for their excellence: Carolyn Jackson, Most Valuable Player; Margaret Griggs, best outfielder; Carolyn Blanton, highest batting average; Estelle Carter, Most Improved Player; and Cindy McAbee, four-year letterman.



LEFT: Sylvester Lipscomb, Marvin Meadows and Ronnie Saunders all received three-year letterman awards for their participation on the boys' varsity baseball team. Saunders also received the Most Improved Player award, and Meadows was named Best All Around. BELOW: Girls' track award winners were Pearl Mosby, best jumper; Carla Miller, best distance runner; Carolyn Jackson, best sprinter; and Carolyn Blanton, best in weight divisions.



Sometimes A Hit ... Sometimes A Strike

The Varsity Baseball team faced an odd situation this year. There was a group of seniors with experience and there was another group with no experience. There was no one in the middle. Because of this possibly, the team did not fare so well. The inexperienced grew, and by the end of the year they were doing well. The seniors played well, they just needed a few breaks.

BELOW: Sylvester Lipscomb gets a solid hit off of the opposing pitcher.



ABOVE: Varsity Baseball Team--KNEELING: Joel Bishop, Danny Henshaw, Sylvester Lipscomb, Ronnie Saunders, Marvin Meadows, Harold Carter; STANDING: James Henshaw, Stanley Mayo, managers, Cindy McAbee, statistician, Herman Trent, Franklin Marion, Stewart Grant, Louis Hatcher, Daniel Robinson, Willie Allen, Howard Fox, Wayne Langhorne, Beryl Anderson, Stanley Brown, managers.



FAR LEFT: Daniel Robinson tries to outrun the ball as he hustles to first base. **LEFT:** Sylvester Lipscomb slides safely into home to put one more run on the board for the Dukes.

J.V. Baseball



ABOVE: JV Baseball: Floyd Jones, manager, Cliff White, Clyde Fox, William Johnson, James Jackson, Stepney Gilliam, Steve Conner, Donald Seal; **STANDING:** Jerome Washington, Stanley Walker, Kirt Motley, Gene Coates, Jim Moorefield, Chris Bishop, Cleveland Johnson, Pam Stanley, Cathy Franklin, managers.

The CHS track season improved considerably with Malcolm Vannoy as the outstanding performer. Vannoy set school records in both weight and jumping events. Allan Porterfield served as our main distance man with Herman Trent being our main sprinter. Vannoy went on to compete in the regional track meet.



ABOVE RIGHT: Robert Trent concentrates his efforts on the next hurdle.
RIGHT: Wardell Clarke fights to keep his balance as he lands in the pit.





Track Team Shows Improvement



TOP: With a final burst of speed Curtis Gilliam tries to overtake his opponent. ABOVE: Malcolm Vannoy displays the form which makes him a winner in the high jump.

Girls Are District Champs

The recently organized girls' track team blew their competitors in the district right off the track. They were the top-notch team in the James River District. Carolyn Blanton set new records in both the shot put and discus. She went on to represent Cumberland High School in state competition where she placed in the discus.



Brenda Wiley and Kathy Broan strive to take over the lead.



Cordell West strains every muscle in her body.



Girls' Track Team: FIRST ROW--Lucy Blackwell, Kathy Brown, Gwen Brooks, Darlene Trent, Carolyn Higgins, Cheryl Matthews, Patricia Mayo, Carolyn Jackson; SECOND ROW--Linda Wiley, Kim Wortham, Gwen Nash, Brenda Wiley, Martha Cochran, Angela Robinson, Margaret Griggs; THIRD ROW--Cordell West, Gonzalee Mosby, Pearl Mosby, Doris Trent, Carolyn Blanton, Renee Beard, Brenda Trent, LaVerne Robinson, Terrie Gilliam, Andrea Ford, Barbara Hatcher, Stacy Johnson.



Inexperience Brings Problems

The girls' softball team did not do as well as expected, but this was due largely to inexperience. Several times the games were very close, but because of experience the other team had the edge and moved on to victory. All of the girls gave their best, but five were recognized by the coach and the team as outstanding players. Carolyn Jackson received The Most Valuable Player award, Margaret Griggs was chosen the best outfielder, Carolyn Blanton held the highest batting average, Estelle Carter was voted The Most Improved Player, and Cathy McAbee received a four-year letterman award.

LEFT: Winning softball players Carolyn Jackson, Margaret Griggs, Carolyn Blanton, Estelle Carter, and Cindy McAbee. BELOW: Softball Team--STANDING: Debbie Stinnett, Margaret Griggs, Carolyn Blanton, Cindy McAbee, Shirley Crump, Kathy Brown, Charlene Martin, Stacy Johnson; STANDING--Wanda Thompson, Denise Shores, Annie Langhorne, Carolyn Jackson, Estelle Carter, Valeria Clark, Kathy Pleasants, Donna Jackson, managers.



J.V. Cheerleaders



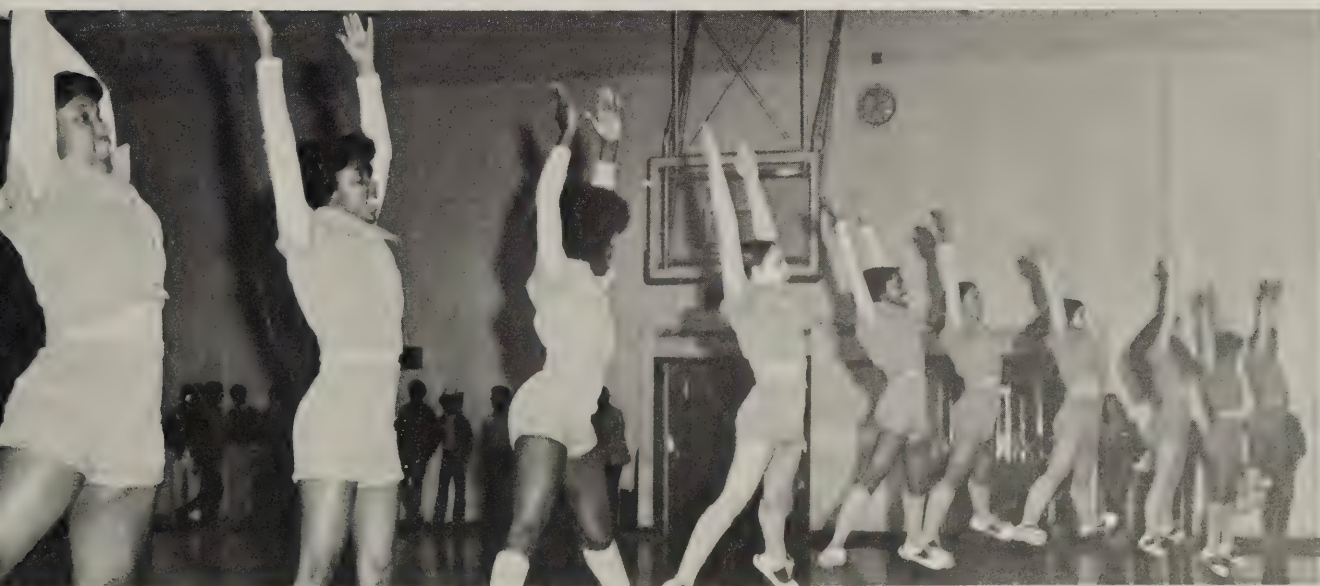
TOP: FRONT: Sheryl Doane, Brenda Wiley; SECOND: Gwen Nash, Kathy Franklin, Cindy Harris, Bridgette Evans, Joyce Saunders, Angela Robinson; THIRD: LaVerne Robinson, Amy Wilson, Kathy Pleasants, Kim Newman; LAST: Edwina Evans, Linda Lucy, Tammy Brown. ABOVE: LaVerne Robinson, Edwina Evans, Bridgette Evans, and Kim Newman cheer their team on to victory.



Varsity Cheerleaders

Both the JV and the Varsity cheerleaders have done outstanding work in creating a positive team spirit. In football both squads had reason to despair for the teams did anything but have a winning season. The cheerleaders persisted, however, and when basketball season came things picked up and the squad cheered for the winning Dukes. The squads not only cheered but also participated in many money-making activities in order to make their contribution to the school self-sufficient.

LEFT: FRONT: Darlene Robertson, Stephanie Hicks, Adrienne Gilliam; SECOND: Jeanette Pleasants, Linda Wiley; THIRD: Pearl Mosby, Lillian Sims, Cordell West; FOURTH: Pat Speas, Ellen Johnson, Salonge Miller, Elizabeth Berlin; LAST: Gonzalee Mosby. BELOW: Cheerleaders capture spirit with enthusiastic leaps.



CLUBS





NHS Leads Active Year

The National Honor Society officially began its year by inducting eight new members in a candle lighting ceremony which stressed scholarship, service, leadership, and character. The Society then proceeded to plan various autumn activities which included creating a Thanksgiving bulletin board display, collecting toys for needy children, and decorating a Christmas tree for the office personnel. Some of the more talented members made candleholders to be used for future induction ceremonies, while

others took over the job of submitting the honor roll to the local newspaper and setting guidelines for the David H. Goodman Memorial Scholarship. Spring found the organization vigorously planning a National Honor Society Week in which they would venture to Richmond to tour the University of Richmond and the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts. Their activities culminated with a yard sale with the benefits going to the Memorial Scholarship Fund.

Below: First Row--Sally Baldwin; Debbie Buchanan; Barbara Norman; Sherri Harrison, President; Second--Salonge Miller; Stephanie Hicks, Vice-President; Andrew Tyler; Third--Andy Hamilton; Gussie Vaughter, Secretary; Nancy Turpin; Ted Trent; Fourth--Fred Lehman, Treasurer; B.W. Robinson; Karen Norman; Last--Dale Mounce, Reporter; Mrs. Allen, Advisor. (Not Pictured--Linda Anderson)





ABOVE: As Sherri Harrison serves refreshments, new members and their parents relax at the reception which followed the induction ceremony.

Who's Who

Debbie Buchanan

Adrienne Gilliam

Sherri Harrison

Stephanie Hicks

Gonzalee Mosby

Dale Mounce

Barbara Norman

Ted Trent

Nancy Turpin

Gussie Vaughter

Linda Wiley



TOP: Stephanie Hicks and Dale Mounce portray Eve and Adam in the Garden of Eden. ABOVE: Nancy Turpin sells refreshments at the Christmas Dance.

Students Express Themselves

The Forensics Team and the Drama Club are made up of students who feel the need to express themselves in a meaningful way. They strive to use their oratorical attributes in plays, original oratories, and recitations.

RIGHT: Forensics Team--SEATED--Darryl Oliver, Karen Norman, Adrienne Tyler, Kelly Hale, Bobby Flippen; STANDING--George Cooke, Dale Mounce, Donna Franklin, Kathy Bruce. BELOW: Drama Club--SEATED--Miss Prillaman, Kelly Hale, Dan Rigsby, Donna Franklin, Susan Towler, Denise Mounce; KNEELING--Dale Mounce, Cindy Overton, Judi Stanley, Stephanie Hicks.





"No Snakes In This Grass"

"No Snakes in this Grass" is a satirical comedy based on racial prejudices. Adam and Eve were portrayed by Dale Mounce and Stephanie Hicks. Fred Lehman ruled over the play by portraying God. The play was set in the Garden of Eden and the fun began when Adam, who is white, discovered that Eve is black. All ended well, however, when each realized that they needed each other as a companion and a friend.

The play was well received by the audiences it played to, and it won an excellent rating in the James River District play festival.



OP: Fred Lehman plays the role of God in "No Snakes in This Grass." ABOVE: Dale Mounce and Stephanie Hicks star in the one-act play.

Business Leaders Prepare For Future Careers

The FBLA carried out the role of both a service and a business club. Thanksgiving and Christmas found the members donating towards baskets for the elderly.

The business role of the club came through during FBLA week. Members dressed as they would in a business situation and helped teachers with appointed tasks.

Personnel from business colleges visited club meetings to encourage the members in business careers.

RIGHT: FBLA Officers--SEATED: Carol Brown, Robert Trent; STANDING: Rosa Hendricks, Salonge Miller, Viola Riddle, Nancy Turpin. BELOW: SEATED: Cindy McAbee, Kim Wortham, Gwen Welch, Teresa Tyson; STANDING: Mrs. Whitmore, sponsor; Darlene Royall, Mary Jones, Carolyn Brown, Bobby Flippen, Diane Gilliam, Adrienne Tyler, Jerita Speas, Mrs. Johnson, sponsor.





FHA Focuses On Current Problems

The FHA provided exposure to many facets of life, now and after high school. This exposure was given not only to members of the club, but also to the entire student body. There were panels on dating, drugs, and alcohol, each led by prominent members of the community. Films were shown as a prelude to these discussions. Facts about various careers as well as home life, marriage and children were advanced and discussed.



*Turn to the back of the book for a roster of the club

Art: Capturing Beauty On Film And Camera

Photography Club: FIRST ROW--Teresa Patterson, Vice-President; Shelia Gilliam, President; Debbie Buchanan, Secretary; Lois Taylor, Treasurer; Mr. Meinhard, Advisor; SECOND--Juliette Dixon; Susan Towler; Judi Stanley; Howard Fox; Sheila Morgan; LAST--Teresa Asal; Dale Mounce; Mike Hallinen; Curtis Lyons; Terri Gilliam.



Art Club: STANDING--Frances Perkins, Sharon Anderson, Becky Garrett, Debbie Turbyfield, Teresa Asal, Debbie Boyles, Kay Johnson, George Cooke, Karen Norman, Marlene Hess, Barbara Gray, Sharon Langhorne, Doug Mounce; SITTING--Emily Finch, Marvin Meadows, Barbara Norman, Sheila Morgan, Peter Martens, Mike Hallinen.

Research: A Link Between...



Health And Science



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Kee Club Drills Into Action

The Kee Club and Drill Team are two very active groups at CHS. They have successfully carried out several worthwhile projects, such as sponsoring the Christmas Seal drive, participating in the Virginia Lung Association workshops in Williamsburg, Richmond, and Farmville, and donating supplies to the First Aid Room at Cumberland High. In addition, these groups gave oranges and apples to the teachers at Christmas, sent roses to sick classmates, donated funds to the Rescue Squad, and sponsored a Valentine's Dance for their members. A day of hiking, fishing, and picnicking fulfilled their recreational needs as it contributed to making the Kee Club a well-rounded organization.

Right: Ruby Johnson and Vickie Baldwin parade to the beat of the music





*Turn to the back for a roster of the club and a roster of the Drill Team.

Yearbook Dedicated To Reporting School Events

BELOW: Mrs. Beverly Keller instructs Andrew Taylor in cropping pictures. RIGHT: Adrienne Tyler, Sherri Harrison, and Mrs. Keller work overtime during summer vacation. BELOW RIGHT: Members of yearbook staff work diligently.



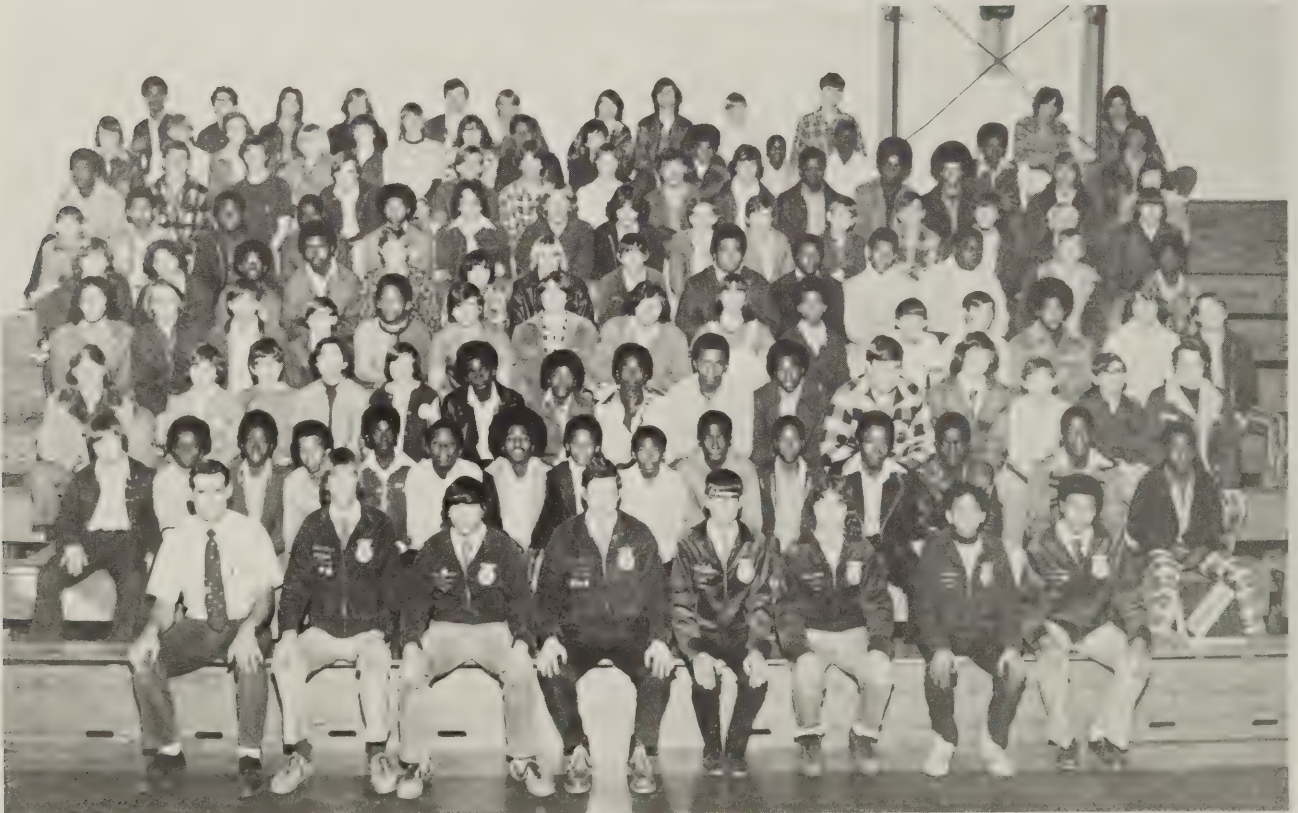


TOP: Students begin work on the yearbook. ABOVE: Sherri Harrison and Adrienne Tyler plan final layout in the sunshine.

Much work goes into preparing a yearbook. There are certain expenditures that are incurred. The staff must sell ads and books to meet these. After the budget is set actual work on the finished yearbook begins. Layouts need to be drawn, copy needs to be written and pictures need to be taken. All of this is then put together by the staff and sent to the plant to be processed. Then, the final production--a yearbook, one which is hoped, mirrors the efforts of the staff.

Improvements

During the year the Future Farmers of America did a number of things to improve C.H.S. First, they constructed a series of fences in order to prevent students from trampling the grass. Secondly, the F.F.A. advisor held a workshop on parliamentary procedure for all interested students. This proved to be quite beneficial to the various school organizations. All in all, the Future Farmers of America assisted in bettering our school.



*FFA roster on page 142



FFA members, under the direction of Mr. Morris, complete a fence used to protect newly grown grass.

French

French Club: FRONT: Sandra Brown, Rickey Foster, Gary Lehman, Pam Miller, Genethia Gilliam, LaVerne Clark; BACK: Sharon Anderson, Brenda Trent, Linda Morgan, Mary Tanner, Darlene Royall



SCA



SCA: FRONT: Mrs. Simonini, sponsor, Adrienne Gilliam, Gonzalee Mosby, Donna Franklin, Wayne Holcomb, Stephanie Hicks, Diane Mahan, Bobby Flippen; Second: Laura Baber, Tammy McKay, Jeff Martin, Tim Dickson, Dale Mounce, Stewart Grant, Robert Trent, Hubert Allen, Andrew Tyler, Sandra Jackson, Michelle Taparino; Back: Dirk Warner, Chevelle Vaughn, Cheryl Langhorne, Juliette Dixon, Joe Robinson, Ellen Johnson, Charity Blanton, Carolyn Brown, Darlene Robertson, Sherri Harrison, John Goodman, Cindy Emerson, Donna Garrett



Paris . . . Or Bust



A trip, which originated in the minds of several French II students early in the year, became a reality as more definite plans emerged. A tour company was selected, passports were obtained, luggage was purchased, and excitement rose to a peak.

Early on the morning of April 9, seven CHS students, one Prince Edward pupil, and five chaperones embarked on an excursion that they would never forget. After what seemed like an endless flight, they safely landed in Paris, France, where they spent 3 days independently exploring the world-renowned city. They became familiar with such famous sights as Le Tour d'Eiffel, Notre Dame, L'Arc de Triomphe, Louvre, Place de L'Opera as well as everyday experiences such as the Metro, sidewalk cafes, and French elevators. The Palace of Versailles, which is situated 20 miles outside of Paris, was toured by the Virginians. They also enjoyed browsing through the magnificent gardens.

Tuesday, the 13th, found the students touring the Loire River Valley by bus. Stopping at Chartres, Chambord, Chenonceaux, they traversed to the small town of Laval in northwestern France. While in Laval the American students visited a Roman Catholic school, audited classes, and made many friends. From their base in Laval, they made a day's trip to the rocky coast of Brittany to tour Mont St. Michel.

The last day was spent shopping in Laval, packing bags, and saying farewell to their many friends amidst hurried exchanged of addresses and promises to return some day. Arising at 4 a.m. the tired, but satisfied students took a bus to Paris. At the Charles de Gaulle Airport they boarded a 747 for the return flight to the U.S. of A. Met by parents and friends, the world travellers were anxious to share the experiences which had become such an integral part of their lives.

ABOVE LEFT: Le Tour d'Eiffel. ABOVE RIGHT: The chateau of Chenonceaux.

Chorus



Band



*Turn to the back of the book for a roster.

Cumberland High Students Are Prolific In Musical Talent



Musical performances were at an all time high this year as the band and chorus moved into more school and community activities.

The band performed in Cumberland County's Resolutions Day, which was the county's first public celebration of the Bicentennial. The band marched in the Cumberland Christmas Parade and the Farmville Christmas Parade, where it received 2nd place in the marching band division.

The band also journeyed to Harrisonburg to participate in the Poultry Festival sponsored by the American Poultry Association.

The band and chorus gave joint concerts and finished the school year by participating in the school's graduation exercises.

LEFT: The band marches proudly under the leadership of Judi Stanley, drum major. Majorettes: KNEELING--Pat Speas, Debbie Arndt, Pam Stanley; STANDING--Adrienne Gilliam, Cindy Ingle.



ACTIVITIES

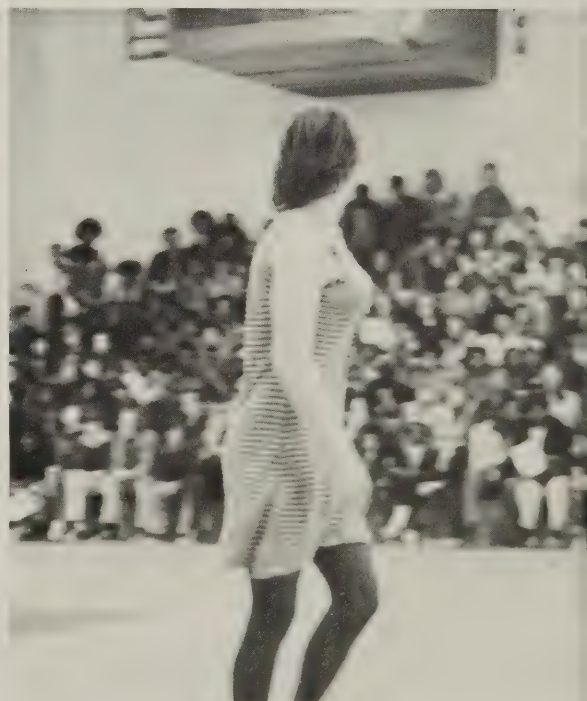


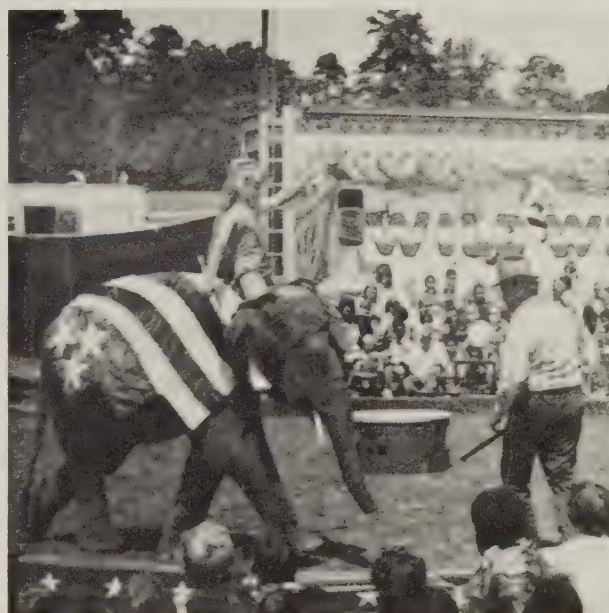


Organizations Sponsor Unusual Fund Raising Activities

Thanks to the Seniors, the night of Tuesday, March 16, 1976, brought an extravagant array of fast-paced excitement with good fun. It was the night when we were honored to have our "Dukes" play "The California Cuties." The Cuties were Hetta Hooker, Leapin' Lena, Dumpy Dora, Backboard Betsy, Scaggie Maggie, and Rebound Ruby. Although the "Dukes" lost by a wide margin, everyone, even the referees, had a good time.

Right: "Leapin' Lena" parades around the floor during halftime showing off her new dress. Below Right: "Hetta Hooker," the girl with the million dollar legs, struts her stuff before the crowd. Below: Sylvester Lipscomb looks in amazement at the "show" he is witnessing.





Not to be outdone by the seniors, the athletic department called on the Royal Circus to help increase the department's funds. The circus performed two shows, one for both the elementary and high schools and one for the general public. The air of gaiety which accompanies a circus prevailed as everyone enjoyed the clowns, elephants, and horses.

ABOVE: These elementary students seem busier with their popcorn than with the many souvenirs that surround them. RIGHT: The elephant was one of the favorite attractions found in the Royal Circus.





Drama Club Presents First Major Production

This year the drama club did something which was foreign to most of the younger students at Cumberland. The club presented a major production, "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown." Most of the cast were novices, performing for the first time in this play. The actors had to learn how to stage, how to pick up cues and how to deliver lines well. Movement and voice control played a major part in the acting since the play was written in a musical format.

"You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown" revolves around the comic strip character and his friends. These included Snoopy, Linus, Schroeder, Lucy, and Patty. All of the cast played well and the play turned into a treat for both young and old.

LEFT: Cast--Donna Franklin (Patty), Peter Martens (Schroeder), Tim Dickson (Charlie Brown), Bobby Flippen (Snoopy), Susan Goodman (Lucy), Ted Trent (Linus). TOP: Patty looks surprised as she swings and misses. MIDDLE: Snoopy dances in delight as supertime approaches. LEFT: Charlie Brown gives a pep talk to his baseball team.

HOMECOMING '75





Homecoming '75 can be described with one word--GREAT. Homecoming week was filled with activities, from Hush Day and Blue and Gold Day to Stomp Day. The week climaxed with a pep rally. All of these activities really got the spirit up for the game and dance. By nightfall; however, spirit was literally dampened by rain. This resulted in a low attendance at the game. Although the spectators weren't there to cheer, the Dukes were able to hold the Page County Panthers. Final score--8-8.

The dance was held on Saturday night. "Fire" played as everyone used up all their excess spirit on the dance floor. Attendance was much higher than expected. During intermission, Cindy McAbee was crowned Homecoming Queen and led the Grand March.

Far Left: Homecoming Court From Top To Bottom-- Marlene Hess, Jackie Wilson, Jeanette Pleasants, Stephanie Hicks, Joyce Saunders, Joyce Ford, Kathy Pleasants, Sherri Harrison, Carol Brown, Lisa Brightwell, Cindy McAbee. Left: Homecoming Queen '75--Cindy McAbee. Below: Crowds rest during intermission at dance.



You And Me Against The World

The crowning of Malcolm Vannoy and Jackie Wilson as King and Queen of the Junior-Senior Prom was the climax of the annual spring dance, held May 8 in the school gymnasium. The theme was "You and Me Against the World." Music was provided by The Improvised Sound Band.

Starting the week before the prom, excited juniors worked energetically and faithfully to get the job done. Decorations included scenes from various settings in countries around the world. Upon entering the gymnasium, couples crossed a bridge leading them to Japan. As they strolled, they found other scenes from France, Holland, Switzerland, Hawaii and Africa.

RIGHT: Joyce Ford and her date pose in the Japanese quarter. BELOW: Couples enjoy dancing to the music of "The Improvised Sound."





Malcolm Vannoy and Jackie Wilson are crowned king and queen of the Junior-Senior Prom.

Pre-Graduation Activities Add Excitement



ABOVE: Randy Martin, Jackie Wilson and Adrienne Gilliam reminisce about the 50's dance held during their 10th grade year. RIGHT: Jackie Wilson hams up her backstage role of Snoopy.

June 2, 1976 was the night of the senior tradition of class night. The traditional class prophecy and last will were read. The seniors then broke off into the part that made their class night program unique. Skits were presented to show what the seniors remembered about their 12 years together. Carolyn Higgins did an impersonation of Edith Ann, the character Lilly Tomlin made famous. Mr. Richard Vaughan was chosen as Teacher of the Year, and the program ended with Adrienne Gilliam singing an original composition "From Us With Love" as the senior class key was presented to the junior class.

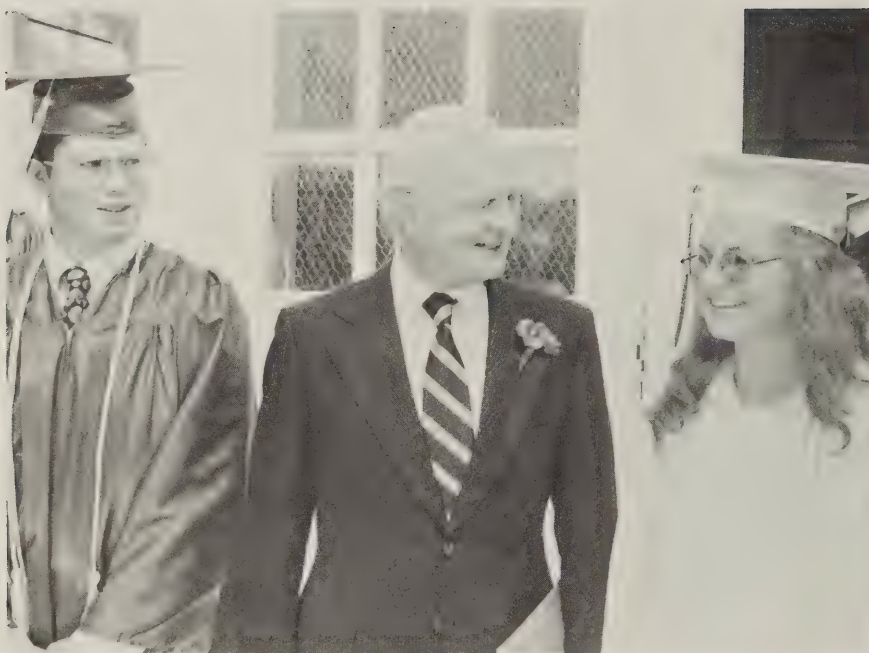




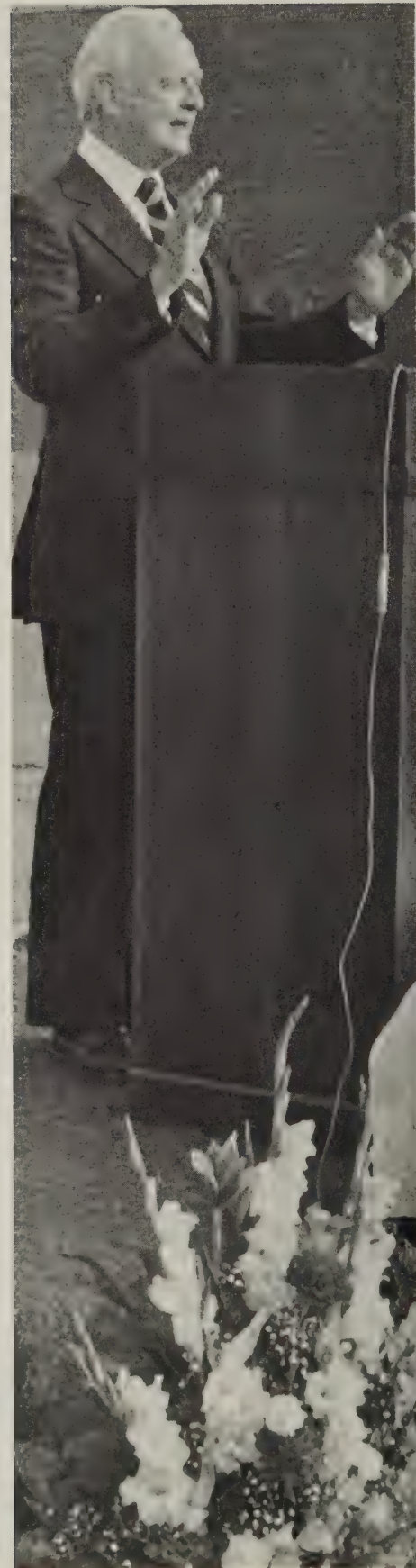
LEFT: Ronnie Saunders keeps a watchful eye on the other seniors from his lofty perch in the top of the bus. BELOW: CHS students rock the boat at Six Flags. BELOW LEFT: Seniors ride anxiously toward Atlanta. BOTTOM LEFT: Nancy Franklin, Pam Shelton, Robin Franklin and chaperones Mr. Vaughan and Mrs. Simonini catch their breath in the hotel lobby.



It was dark on the morning of May 15 as the seniors boarded the bus for Atlanta, Georgia. This was the first time in three years that the seniors had had enough ambition to raise enough money for a trip outside of Virginia. At 11:00 a.m. they pulled into the Ramada Inn. Friday afternoon was a time for exploring and getting ready for their exciting weekend away from home and parents. Partying and playing started Friday night with a trip to Underground Atlanta. Afterward the pool side became the partying grounds for the seniors. Saturday the graduates-to-be went to Six Flags Over Georgia. They left Atlanta at 2:00 on Sunday to return to the ordinary life in Cumberland.



ABOVE: Senator Harry F. Byrd, Jr. chats with B.W. Robinson, salutatorian, and Sherri Harrison, valedictorian, before the graduation exercises. RIGHT: Senator Byrd wishes the graduates well.



Byrd Headlines Graduation



A speech by Senator Harry F. Byrd, Jr. was the crowning point of the graduation exercises for the 1976 class of CHS. About 1500 people gathered on the high school lawn to see the 94 seniors graduate.

Class president Freda Blanton led the program off with an invocation. B.W. Robinson, as class salutatorian, welcomed the guests to the exercises. Sherri Harrison, in her valedictory remarks, emphasized that people, including members of Cumberland's bicentennial class, have an obligation to be active participants toward maintaining democracy.

Senator Byrd then spoke. He prefaced his well wishes to the seniors by stating his political views and encouraging young people to become involved in the government.

Miss Blanton accepted the diplomas on the part of her classmates. She ended the program with a benediction.

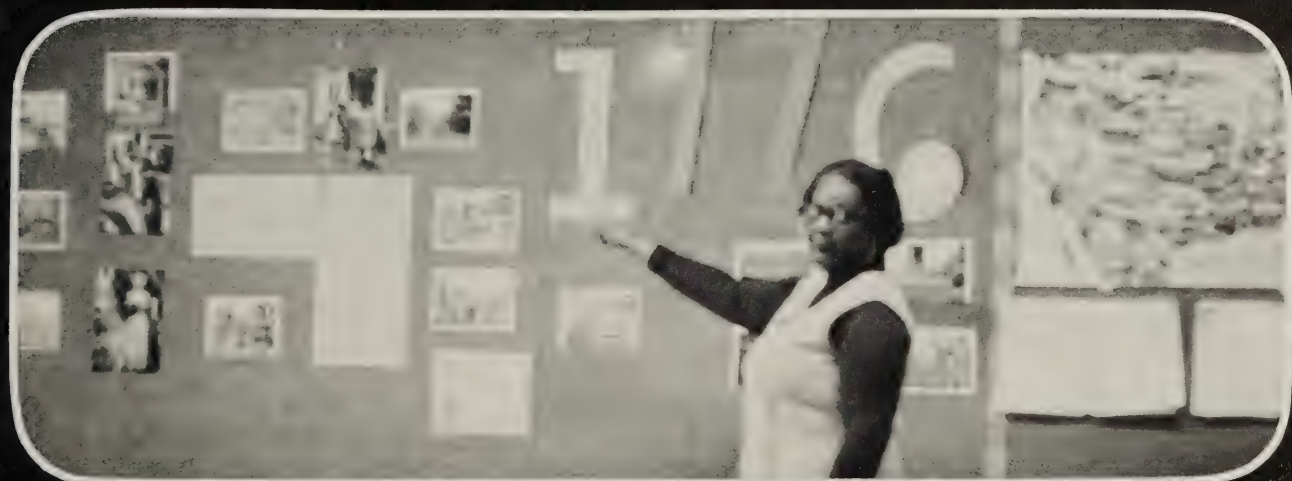
Mr. Clarence Lawson announced a number of scholarships and awards. Among them were Curtis Fox, \$2800 from Richmond Newspapers, Inc.; Sherri Harrison, \$2900 from Longwood College; Dale Mounce, \$103 from the David H. Goodman Scholarship Fund; and \$150 each from People United for Student Help (PUSH) to Harry Davenport, Sylvester Lipscomb, John Garrett, Teresa Mendez, Linda Wiley, Adrienne Gilliam and Sherri Harrison.



ABOVE LEFT: Alfred Booker marches solemnly as the band plays the processional. **LEFT:** Shelia Gilliam marches up to receive her diploma from the chairman of the school board, Eric Robinson. **ABOVE:** Caps and gowns are hastily discarded as post-high school life begins.

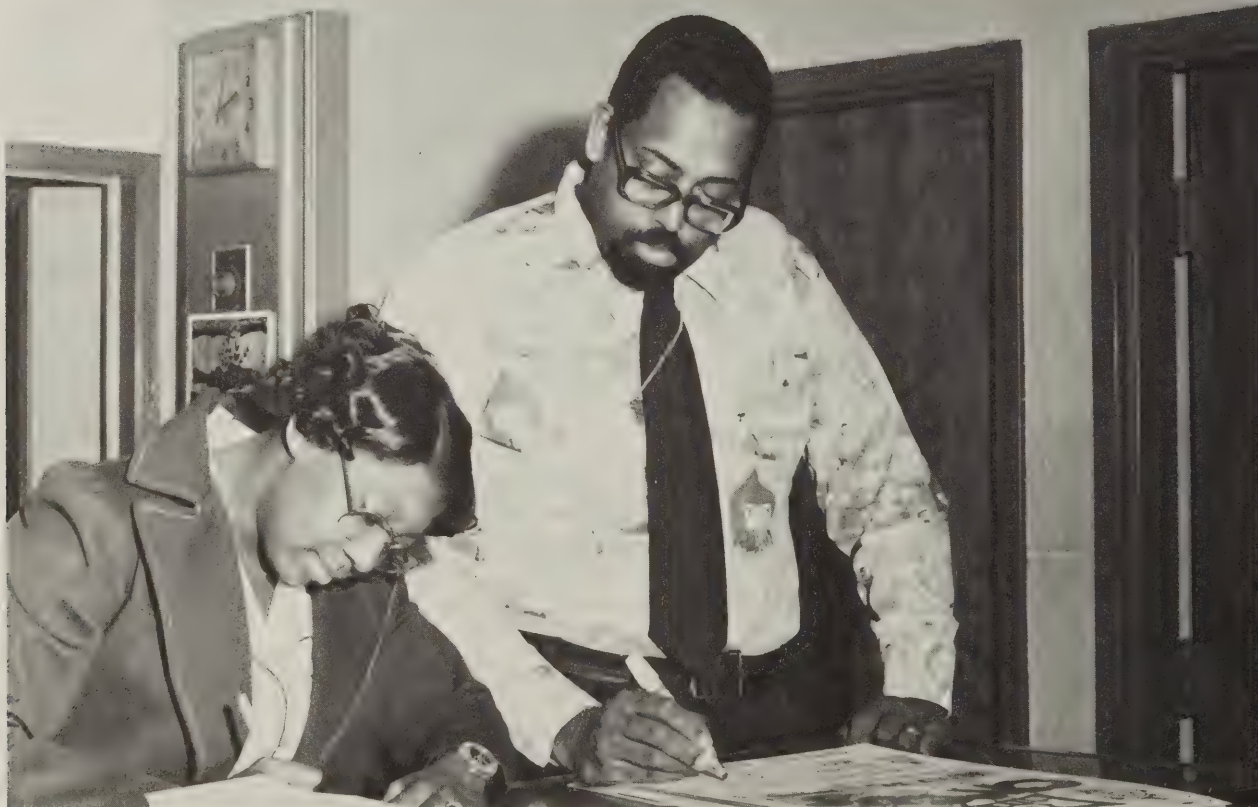
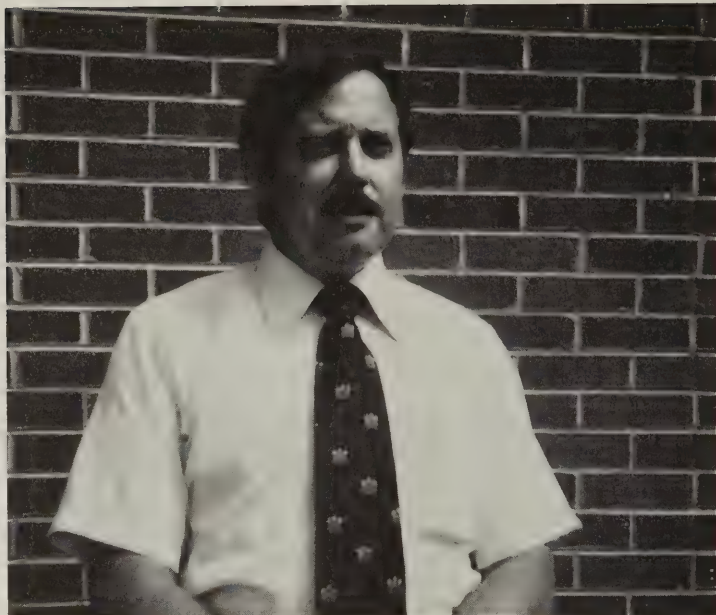
FACULTY





Administration . . . The Guiding Light

The students of CHS may not speak lovingly of the administration. However, they do realize that these people are quite necessary in the everyday life at Cumberland. In such times as fights (when you're the one getting beaten up) or in such dilemmas as a broken stove in the cafeteria, they come to the rescue. Over all, the student body is deeply indebted to the administration for their guidance and patience through the year.



TOP: Mr. Herman Bartlett, Principal. BELOW: Mr. Sam Bundy, Assistant Principal with Freda Blanton, office assistant.

er You Work,
Luckier
ou Get!

Make It A Good Day--
Do Something You
Can Be Proud Of.



TOP: Mrs. Clarice Isenbarger, Guidance Counselor (9,10,11).
ABOVE: Mrs. Pearl Gilliam, Guidance Counselor (8,12). RIGHT:
Mrs. Dorothy Putney, Librarian.

Faculty Begins Self- Evaluation

The faculty has as its primary aim that of helping the student explore basic fields of knowledge. They hope to help the students learn that investigating and acquiring knowledge can be fun. The facts and experiences that the student acquires during his school years serve to help him become the competent useful person the world needs. This is the goal for which all teachers strive.



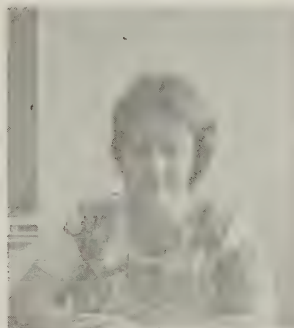
MRS. MARY ALLEN
Biology, Chemistry



MISS SUSAN CROTTS
Math 8, Algebra 1,
Geometry



MRS. MARY BROWN
Physical Education



MISS CINDY BARHAM
Title I--Special Education



MR. ROBERT BRUCE
Earth Science



MRS. ELIZABETH
DAWSON
World Geography, Civics



MR. FRANK BABER
Building Trades



MISS PAM BECKWITH
U.S. History, Civics



MR. GARY COSBY
Social Studies 7



MR. WILLIAM DUVALL
Band, Chorus



MR. WILLIAM FARMER
Building Trades



MR. MOSES FOSTER
Agriculture Science and
Machines I, II



MRS. AURELIA
HAZLEGROVE
Math 7



MRS. ANNIE HOWELL
Title I--Math



MRS. ELIZABETH
JAMERSON
English 8,10



MRS. BARBARA
JOHNSON
Typing I, Clerk Typist
I, II



MR. JAMES JOHNSON
Physical Education 8,10
Driver Education



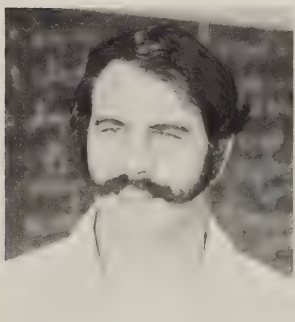
MRS. BEVERLY KELLER
English 11,12



MISS CAROLYN
KIMBLETON
Physical Education 8,9,
Driver Education



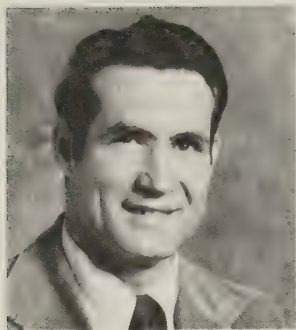
MR. RALPH MAHAN
Masonry



MR. DAVID MEINHARD
Government, U.S. History



MRS. MARY MILES
Title I--Special Education



MR. HENRY MORRIS
Production Agriculture
IV, V, Agriculture
Machines and Service



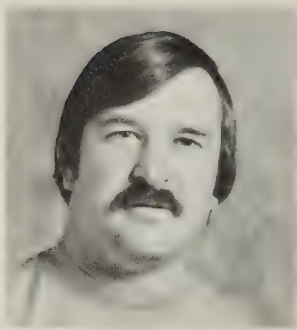
MRS. JOANN PETTY
Science 7



MRS. SARAH SCHEMBER
Home Ec. 7, Home Ec.
I, II, III



MRS. KATHERINE
STOMBOCK
English 10, 11



MR. ALLEN NEVILLE
Physical Education 7, 8, 9
Driver Education



MISS CONNIE
PRILLAMAN
English 12, Creative
Writing, Public Speaking



MRS. INEZ SMITH
English 7



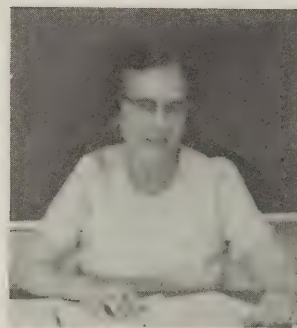
MISS MARGARET
STOMBOCK
Art I, II, III



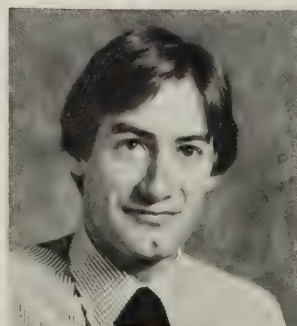
MRS. BARBARA NEWMAN
Home Economic I, III,
Family Living, Clothing
Management



MRS. BETTY SCALES
English 9



MRS. RUTH STIMPSON
Math 8, 9



MR. RICHARD VAUGHAN
Geometry, Algebra I, II,
Advanced Algebra and
Trig., Calculus



MRS. ROSA WHITMORE
Clerk-Typist I, Typing I,
General Business



**MRS. PAULETTE
WOODSON**
English 8,9

MRS. MARY BOOKER
Physical Science 9

**MRS. CATHERINE
GARRETT**
Latin I, II

MISS BETTY ROBERTS
Title I--Reading

**MRS. JUANITA
SIMONINI**
Earth Science, French
I, II



Miss Margaret Stombock and Mrs. Paulette Woodson prepare for their daily teaching activities.



TOP: Mrs. Shirley Blackwell, Office Secretary. BOTTOM: Mrs. Cordella Brooks, Office Aide.



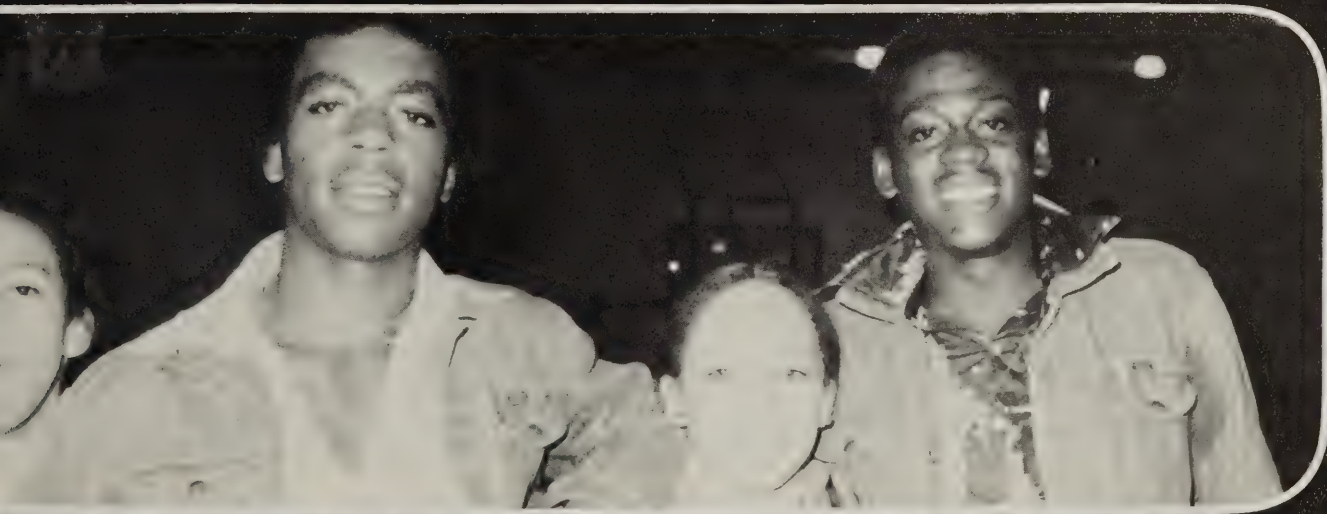
Unsung Heroes

Cumberland High School has many unsung heroes, those who work behind the scenes to make the running of CHS a smooth operation. These people drive students on a safe bus to a clean school which is all done through the courtesy of these heroes. Students get absentee notes, books, and free lunches from office aides. The budget is kept balanced, clubs are notified of their assets and deficits and a general watch is kept by the secretary on funds coming in and going out of the school.

TOP: The bus drivers for Cumberland High School, **MIDDLE:** Bus mechanics and maintenance crew George Mayo, Alex Hampton, Joe Brooks, Thomas Crump, and Sinclair Brooks. **BOTTOM:** Head Custodian, Mr. Harold Gary; Assistants, Mr. Harris Brown, Mr. Thomas Ligon.

STUDENTS





Spirit Of '76

The Class of '76 really delved into the spirit which is indicative of its name. They were determined to make their last year a memorable one as they organized the class early in the fall. Officers were elected and meetings were held to discuss money-raising projects to fund that all-important class trip as well as to pay for graduation expenses. Therefore, the senior class sponsored a Christmas Dance, and later a basketball match with the California Cuties. It was difficult to decide on the destination of their trip, but they wanted to do something really spectacular. So, on May 14 at 12:05 a.m., a bus pulled out from CHS bound for Atlanta, Georgia and promising a fun-filled weekend for all. Upon their return, they began to plan for the next special occasion--class night. Gag gifts were purchased and skits were arranged to keep the audience rolling. Finally, there was no way to go on enjoying the spirit captured by the class. Graduation was inevitable. And so, with fond memories and a bright future, the Class of '76 left their high school days and embarked on a new venture into life.



SHARON ANDERSON "Shorty"--FHA 1; Kee Club 1,2,3; Powder Puff Football 2,3; Health Careers 4; FFA 4; Art Club 5.

SALLY BALDWIN "Sally"--FHA 1, Sec. 4, Pres. 5; Powder Puff Football 2; Health Careers 3,4; NHS 4,5; Kee Club 1.

WALLACE BANTON "Wallace"--FFA 1,2,3,4; KVG 3,4; Dairy Judging 2.

GALE BEARD "Ga-Ga"--Kee Club 2,3,4,5; Health Careers 2,3; FBLA 4,5; Band 3,4.

JOEL BISHOP "Hots"--Baseball 4,5.

CARY BLANTON "Cary"--FFA 3,4.

FREDA BLANTON "Freda"--Kee Club 1,2,3; Health Careers 2,3,4,5; SCA Repr. 2,3; FHA 1,2,3,4; FBLA 4; Band 1; Office Asst. 2,3,4,5; Library Asst. 2,3.

ALFRED BOOKER "Stick"--J.V. Football 1; FFA 1,2,3,4.

ANNIE BOOKER "Color"--Softball 4; FHA 2,3,4; Chorus 4.

GREGORY BOOKER "Greg"--Kee Club 4; FFA 1,2,3.

JOE BROOKS "Jody"--FFA 1,2,3,4; V. Basketball 3,4,5; Chorus 3,5; V. Club 3,5.

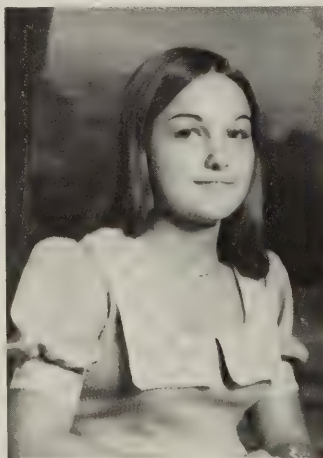
CAROL BROWN "Carol"--J.V. Cheerleader 1,2; Kee Club 1,2,3,4,5; SCA Repr. 4; SCA Officer 3; FHA 1; FBLA 4,5; Drill Team 3,4,5; Chorus 4,5.

ED BROWN "Big Ed"--J.V. Football 1; Capt. 2; J.V. Baseball Manager 2; Track 2,3; V. Football 3; Kee Club 3; V. Club 3; FFA 1,2,4.

RANDY BRYANT "Rudolph"--J.V. Basketball 3; FFA 1,2,3,4,5; NHS 4; Art Club 1.



Sharon Rose Anderson



Frances Elizabeth Baldwin



Wallace Woodrow Banton



Debra Gale Beard



Joel Duane Bishop



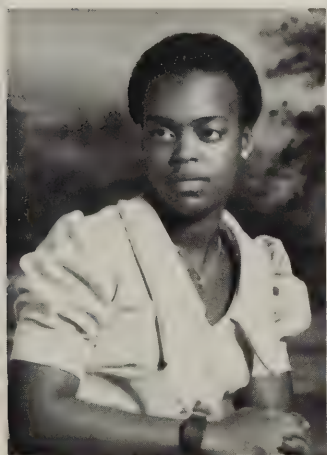
Cary Alexander Blanton



Freda Abegail Blanton



Alfred Randolph Booker



Annie Mae Booker



Gregory Booker



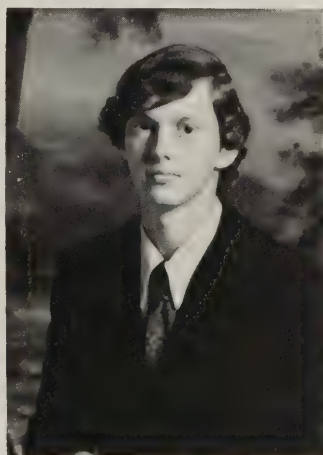
Joseph Moncello Brooks



Judith Carol Brown



Thomas Edward Brown



Randy Washington Bryant



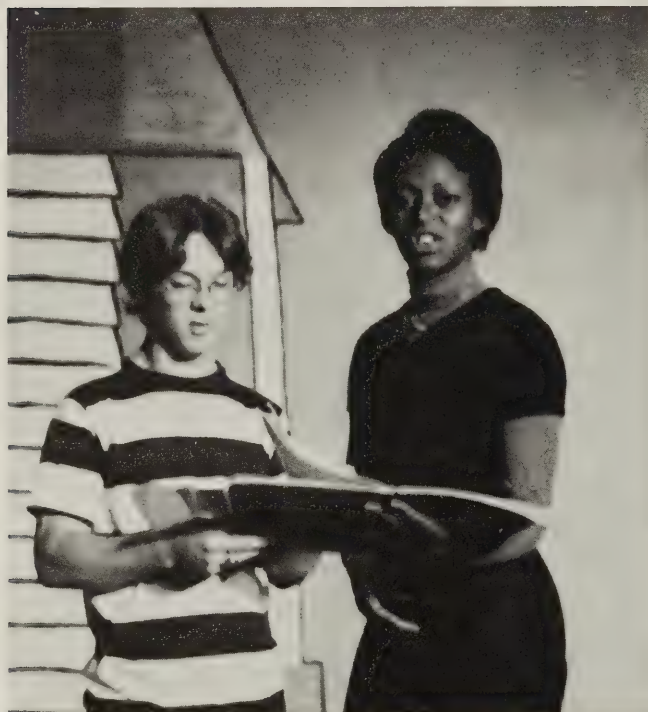
Harold Edward Carter, Jr.



Jacqueline Inez Clarke

Seniors Display Hidden Talents

BELOW: Ted Trent and Adrienne Gilliam were voted "The Most Talented" in the Senior class.



TERRI CLAYTON "Terri"--Powder Puff Football 3; FHA 1,2,4; FBLA 4.
DAISY CRUMP "Poochie"--Chorus 4.
SHIRLEY CRUMP "Lou Lou"--Softball 4,5; FHA 4.
HARRY DAVENPORT "Harry O"--Varsity Football 5; Basketball 4,5; FFA 2,3,4,5.
A.V. DRIVER "A.V."--V. Football 3,4; V. Baseball 4; Varsity Club 3,4; FFA 4.
WELDON FAGGINS "Crip"--FFA 2,3.
JOYCE FORD "Snookie"--Kee Club 1,2,3; SCA Repr. 4; FHA 1; Drill Team 3,4; Homecoming Court 5.
CURTIS FOX "Foxy"--FFA 1,4; KVG 2,3; Kee Club 2,3; J.V. Baseball 2,3.
NANCY FRANKLIN "Nanny"--Transferred from Prince Edward Academy 3; Powder Puff Football 3; J.V. Baseball Scorekeeper 3; V. Cheerleader 3,4; Kee Club 4; V. Club 3,4; Health Careers 3,4; SCA Repr. 4,5; Yearbook Staff 3,4,5; Chorus 4,5; Library Asst. 4,5; Gym Assistant 4.
ROBIN FRANKLIN "Robin"--Powder Puff Football 2,3; Girls Track 4; Health Careers 3; Band 1,2,3,4,5; Chorus 4,5; Band President 5.
JIM GARRETT "Jim"--Graduated January, 1976.

JOHN GARRETT "Johnny"--(Not Pictured); FFA 1,2,3,4,5; KVG 3,4.
ADRIENNE GILLIAM "A.G"--Cheerleader 1,2,3; Capt. 4,5; Band 1,2,3, Vice-Pres. 4,5; FHA 1; FBLA 4,5; Duke Echo 4; Health Careers 1,2, Vice-Pres. 3, Pres. 4; 4-H 1,2,3,4,5; Kee Club 3; Track 4,5; V. Club 2,3,4,5; Girls Softball 4; Girls Basketball 2,3,4, Capt. 5; Boys Track Statistician 4,5; Majorette 3,4,5; SCA Repr. 3; SCA Pres.-elect 4, Pres. 5; Who's Who 4,5.
DIANE GILLIAM "Diane"--Kee Club 4,5; FBLA 5.
SHELIA GILLIAM "Shortie"--Kee Club 3,4; Health Careers 3,4; FHA 2,3; Yearbook Staff 3,4; Drill Team 3,4; Photography Club 5; Drama 5; Band 1; Chorus 1,2.
VERNETTE GILLIAM "Dooley"--Kee Club 1,2; Chorus 3,4,5.
KELLY HALE "Kelly"--J.V. Track 2; V. Track 3,4; Girls Basketball 3,4; Girls Softball 4; Cheerleader 4; SCA Repr. 3,4; SCA Officer 4; FHA 1; Transferred from Pedro Albizu Campos High School 5; Drama 5; Forensics 5; International Thespians Society 5.



Terri Womack Clayton



Daisy Rebecca Crump



Shirley Louise Crump



Harry Roy Davenport



Allison Vann Driver



Weldon James Faggins



Joyce Ann Ford



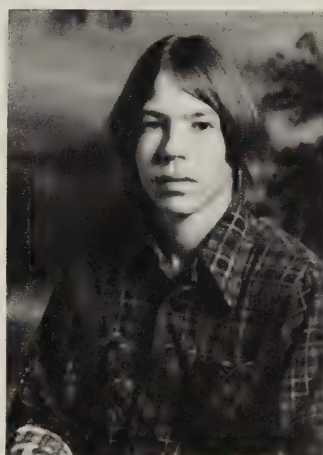
Curtis Freeman Fox



Nancy Karen Franklin



Robin Gail Franklin



James Garrett



Adrienne Yvonne Gilliam



Diane Marie Gilliam



Shelia Darlene Gilliam



Vernetta Elizabeth Gilliam



Kelly Rose Hale

Class Reflects Friendliness

BELOW: Penny Moorefield and Sylvester Lipscomb pose in the sunshine as "The Best All Around". BOTTOM: Marvin Meadows and Shirley Hatcher, having "The Best Personality", demonstrate the use of their favorite invention--the telephone.



ANDY HAMILTON "Hami"--Kee Club 1,2,3,4,5; FFA 1,2,5; FFA Chaplain 3,4; NHS 5.

EDITH HAMPTON "Dicky Lee"--Kee Club 1; Chorus 4,5.

SHERRI HARRISON "Sherri"--Kee Club 2; SCA Repr. 2,5; FHA 1; FBLA Vice-Pres. 4; NHS 4, President 5; Yearbook Staff 3,5; Drama 2; Homecoming Court 5; Duke Echo 4; 4-H 1,2; Who's Who 5.

SHIRLEY HATCHER "Heavy"--Kee Club 4,5; Chorus 3,5; Drill Team 4,5.

YVONNE HATCHER "Yvonne"--Softball Manager 3; Kee Club 2,3 4; Health Careers 2; Latin Club 2; Art Club 4,5; Chorus 4,5.

CHARLOTTE HAZLEGROVE "Charlotte"--Health Careers 2,3; FHA 1,2; FBLA 4.

DOUG HEIL "Doug"--FFA 1,2,3.

ROSA HENDRICKS "Tee"--FHA 2; FBLA 4, Treasurer 5.

DANNY HENSHAW "Stud"--J.V. Baseball 1; Baseball 2,3,4,5; J.V. Football 1,2,3; V. Football 4,5; Band 2,3,4,5; Chorus 1,2,3; V. Club 2,3,4,5; FFA 1; FHA 5; Gym Asst. 4,5.

STEPHANIE HICKS "Fluff"--FHA 1; SCA Repr. 2,4, Chaplain 3, Reporter 5; Cheerleader 2,3,4,5; Homecoming Court 5; Health Careers 4; NHS 4, Vice-Pres. 5; Who's Who 4,5; V. Club 4,5; Kee Club 2,3,4; FBLA 4; Drama 5; Girls Basketball Scorekeeper 5; International Thespians 5.

CAROLYN HIGGINS "Cheebie"--Powder Puff Football 2,3; Girls Track 5; Girls Basketball 5; J.V. Cheerleader 1; V. Club 3,4,5; Health Careers 4; FHA 1; Band 1,2,3,4,5; Girls Basketball Manager 3,4; Girls Softball Manager 4.

SUSAN JACKSON "Susie"--Kee Club 4,5; FHA 4,5; Drill Team 3,4,5; Chorus 5.

MAGNOLIA JAMES "Mick"--(Not Pictured); FHA 1; FBLA 4.

LONNIE JOHNSON "Lonnie"--FFA 2.

PERCELL JOHNSON "Pierre"--J.V. Basketball 2,3; FFA 1,2,3,4,5.

ALICE JONES "Pee-Wee"--Kee Club 2,3; Health Careers 2,3,4; Chorus 4.

PAT JONES "Short Stuff"--FHA 3,4; Chorus 2,3,4,5.



Andrew Melvin Hamilton



Edith Madeline Hampton



Sherrill Jean Harrison



Shirley Virginia Hatcher



Yvonne Hatcher



Charlotte Perkins Hazelgrove



Douglas Scott Heil



Rosa Lee Hendricks



Walter Daniel Henshaw, Jr.



Stephanie Wynn Hicks



Carolyn Ann Higgins



Susan Geraline Jackson



Lonnie Johnson



Percell Johnson



Alice Roberta Jones



Patricia Ann Jones

Seniors Concentrate On Scholarship



ABOVE: Fred Lehman and Sherri Harrison were voted "The Most Studious".

EDWARD LANGHORN "Doug"--FFA 1,2.
 GEORGE LANGHORNE "George"--FFA 1,2.
 TERESA LANGHORNE "Dewey"--Kee Club 1,2,3,4,5;
 Health Careers 5; FHA 3; Drill Team 3.
 FRED LEHMAN "Fred"--NHS 4, Treasurer 5.
 JACKIE LEWIS "Jackie"--Powder Puff Football 1;
 Kee Club 2,3,4; Health Careers 3,4; FHA 2; Drill
 Team 3,4; Photography 5; Band 2; 4-H 1,2,3,4,5.
 SYLVESTER LIPSCOMB "Boo-Boo"--J.V. Football 1,
 2, Captain 3; J.V. Baseball 1,2; J.V. Basketball 3;
 V. Football 4, Capt. 5; V. Baseball 3,4,5; V. Basket-
 ball 4, Capt. 5; V. Club 4,5; SCA Treas. 2; FFA 1,2,
 Secretary 3; Class Treasurer 4; Class Vice-Pres. 5.
 RANDY MARTIN "Randy"--J.V. Football 1,2,3; J.V.
 Baseball 2,3; Track Manager 1; V. Football 4,5; V.
 Baseball 5; Kee Club 1,2,3,4; V. Club 4,5; Health
 Careers 3,4; FFA 1,2,3, Treas. 4, Vice-Pres. 5; Band
 1,2,3,4,5.
 BONNIE MASON "Jive Turkey"--Health Careers 2,3,4;
 FHA 2,3,4; FBLA 4.
 CINDY McABEE "Cindy"--Powder Puff Football 2,3;
 Girls Basketball 4, Capt. 4

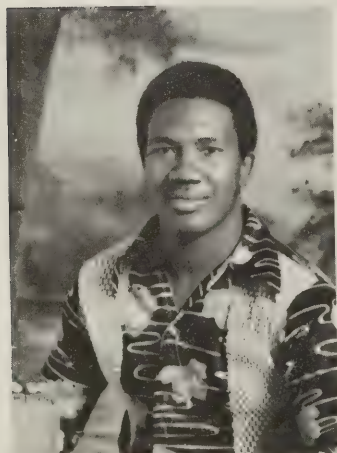
Girls Basketball 4, Capt. 5; Softball 2 3,4,5; V. Club
 2,3, Treas. 4,5; FHA 1; FBLA 4,5; Band 2,3,4,5;
 Homecoming Queen 5; Library Asst. 5; Office Asst.
 5; Gym Asst. 4.

PHILLIP McNEAL "Big Mac"--Kee Club 4,5; Art Club
 1,2,3; FFA 1,3,4,5; Second State Vice-Pres. 5; Crop
 Judging Team 4,5; VA Lung Association 5.
 MARVIN MEADOWS "Tug"--Powder Puff Football
 Coach 2,3; J.V. Football 1; J.V. Baseball 1,2; V.
 Football 4,5; V. Baseball 3,4,5; Kee Club 3,4; V. Club
 3,4,5; Yearbook Staff 3; Art Club 1,2,5; Gym Asst.
 4,5.

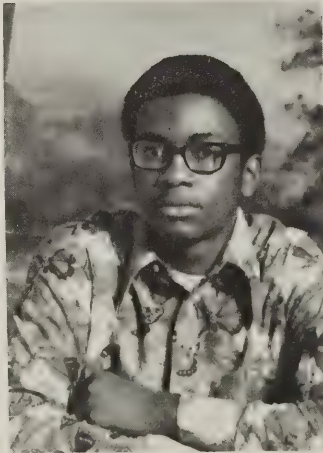
JAYNE MENDEZ "Jayne"--FHA 1,2,4.
 TERESA MENDEZ "Resa"--FHA 1,2, Treasurer 4.
 GARY METZGER "Gary"--Track 1,4,5; Band 1,4,5;
 Chorus 1,4,5.

SALONGE MILLER "Bunchie"--Cheerleader 4,5; Kee Clu
 Club 4; V. Club 4; FBLA 4,5; NHS 5; Yearbook Staff
 3; Drama 5; Duke Echo 4,5; Int. Thespians 5.

PENNY MOOREFIELD "Sport"--Powder Puff Football
 2,3; Girls Track 5; V. Baseball Scorekeeper, Manager
 5; Girls Basketball Scorekeeper 4,5; Girls Softball 2,3,
 4,5; J.V. Cheerleader 1; Kee Club 1,2; Varsity Club
 2,3,4,5; FHA 1,2,4; Drama 1; Class Treasurer 1,5;
 Second Team All-District Softball 3.



Edward Douglas Langhorn



George Edward Langhorne



Teresa Langhorne



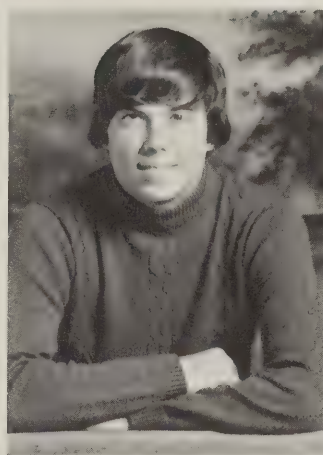
Fredrick John Lehman



Jacqueline Victoria Lewis



Sylvester Hrrane Lipscomb



Charles Randolph Martin



Bonnie Gail Mason



Cynthia Rose McAbee



Phillip Henry McNeal



Marvin Lee Meadows



Jayne Marie Mendez



Teresa Marie Mendez



Gary Arthur Metzger



Salonge Marie Miller



Penny Sue Moorefield

Seniors Play Important Role In Athletics

BELOW: Adrienne Gilliam guards Sylvester Lipscomb as they prove that they truly are "The Most Athletic".



LINDA MORGAN "Minnie Mouse"--Kee Club 1,3; SCA Repr. 4; FHA 1,3; Yearbook Staff 4,5; Drill Team 3; French Club 5; Drama 3,5; Forensics 3.
DALE MOUNCE "Stick"--Track 4,5; Kee Club 2; V. Club 4,5; SCA Repr. 2,3; FFA 1,2,3; President 4,5; Federation Vice-Pres. 4,5; NHS 4; Reporter 5; Yearbook 3,4,5; Photography 5; Drama 3, Pres. 5; 4-H 1,2,3,4,5; Forensics 4,5; Who's Who 4,5; Int. Thespians 5.
ELSIE RANDOLPH "Elsie"--FHA 2,3,4,5; Kee Club 2,3,4,5.
KATHLEEN RIDDLE "Kitten"--Kee Club 4,5; Chorus 4,5.
VIOLA RIDDLE "Vie"--Softball 4; Kee Club 5; Chorus 3; FBLA 5; FHA 1,2.
B.W. ROBINSON "Bob"--FFA 3, Secretary 4,5; NHS 4,5; Band 1,2,3,4,5; KVG 5.
JEANETTE ROHDE "Foxy"--Powder Puff Football 2,3; Girls Track 4; Girl Softball 3,4,5; Girls Basketball Manager 4; V. Club 4,5; Health Careers 4; FHA 3,4; FBLA 4; Band 2,3.
CONNIE SAUNDERS "Connie"--FHA 2,3,4,5; FBLA 4.
RONNIE SAUNDERS "Hance"--J.V. Football 1,2; V. Football 3,4, Capt. 4; V. Baseball 2,3,4,5; V. Club 2,3,4, Vice-Pres. 5; FFA 1,3,4,5; Band 1,2,3,4,5; Gym Asst. 5.
MARK SHEARN "Al"--FFA 1,2.
PAM SHELTON "Pam"--Powder Puff Football 2,3; Girls Basketball Scorekeeper 4; Softball 2; J.V. Cheerleader 1; V. Club 2; Health Careers 3,4; FHA 1; Band 1,2,3,4,5; Chorus 4,5; Gym Asst. 4.
CAROLINE SIMS "Booley"--Kee Club 1; SCA Repr. 1,2,3; FHA 2; Drill Team 1; Chorus 4,5; Homecoming Court 1,2,3.
NORA SMITH "Nora"--Kee Club 1,2.
JERITA SPEAS "Jerita"--FHA 1,2; J.V. Cheerleader 2; Health Careers 3,4; FBLA 4,5.
STEPHEN THOMAS "Steve"--(Not Pictured): Transferred from J.R. Tucker 4; FFA 5.
ROSE MARY TRENT "Shorty"--Kee Club 1,2,3,4,5; FBLA 4; Health Careers 3,4; Chorus 5; FHA 3.
TED TRENT "Radar"--Drama 1,2,5; Art Club 1,2; SCA Repr. 4; NHS 4,5; Who's Who 4,5; Yearbook 1,3,4.



Linda Yvonne Morgan



Dale Allen Mounce



Elsie Regina Randolph



Kathleen Riddle



Viola Mays Riddle



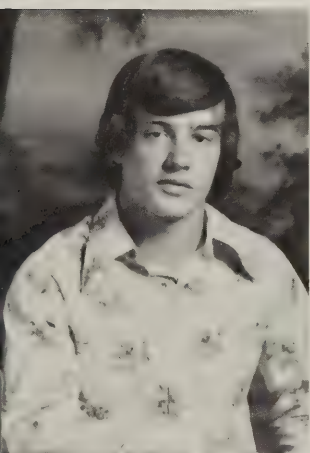
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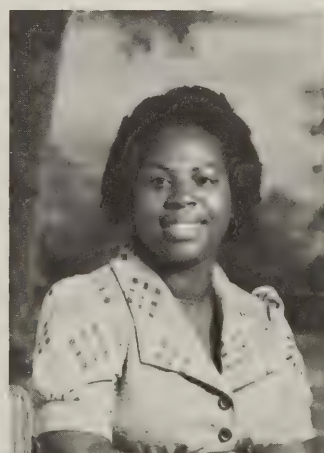
Caroline Louise Sims



Ellen Nora Smith



Jerita Bryant Speas



Rose Mary Trent



Michael Theodore Trent

Reflections . . .



ABOVE: Gussie Vaughter is captured in a thoughtful mood.



Nancy Kaye Turpin

NANCY TURPIN "Nancy"--Kee Club 1; FHA 1,2, Pres. 4; FBLA 4; Secretary 5; NHS 5; Class Reporter 5; Who's Who 5; Duke Echo Staff 4,5.
MALCOLM VANNOY "Malcolm"--J.V. Football 1; Track 1,2,3,4,5; V. Football 2,3,4,5; V. Club 2,3,4, Pres. 5; SCA Repr. 3; FFA 1,2,5.

GUSSIE VAUGHTER "Skinny Dip"--Kee Club 1,2,3,4; SCA Repr. 5; FHA 1; FBLA 4; NHS 4; Secretary 5; Drill Team 3,4; Who's Who 4,5; Class Secr. 5; Duke Echo 4; Int. Thespians 5.

KENNY WALLACE "Kenny"--Transferred to Prince Edward 5.

LINDA WILEY "Trip"--Kee Club 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 1,2,3,4,5; Softball 3; SCA Repr. 3,4; Class Secretary 4; FBLA 4; Duke Echo 4; Band 1,2; Track 5; Basketball Manager 5; Who's Who 4,5.

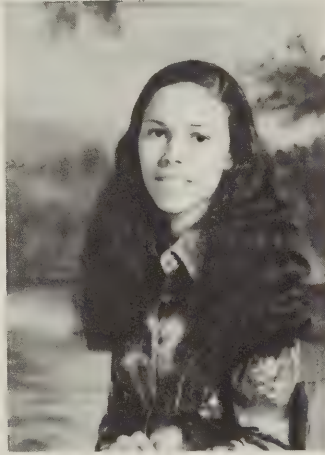
DARCY WILLIAMS "Dee-Cee"--Girls Basketball 2,3,4; Softball 3; Kee Club 1,2,3,4; V. Club 2,3,4,5; Health Careers 3,4; FHA 1; Drill Team 2,3; Band 2; Chorus 3,5.

JERRY WILSON "Pistol"--J.V. Basketball 2,3; V. Basketball 4, Capt. 5; V. Club 4,5; FFA 1; Band 5.

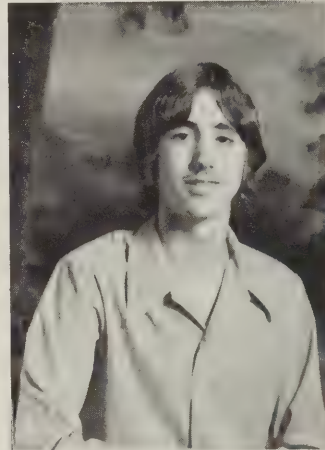
JACKIE WILSON "Jackie"--Basketball Manager 3,4; Basketball 5; Library Asst. 4; Track Scorekeeper 5; Homecoming Court 5; V. Club 3,4, Secr. 5; FHA 3, Historian 4; FBLA 4.



Malcolm Glen Vannoy



Gussie Arlena Vaughter



Kenneth Conway Wallace



Linda Vanessa Wiley



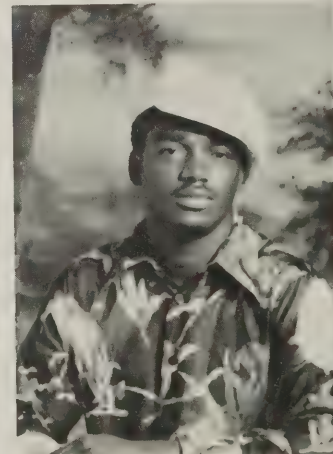
Darcy LeNora Williams



Jerry Landis Wilson



Jackie Gwen Wilson



John Henry Wilson



ABOVE: Senior Class Officers--Seated--Freda Blanton, President; Sylvester Lipscomb, Vice-President; Standing--Penny Moorefield, Treasurer; Shelia Gilliam, Secretary; Nancy Turpin, Reporter.

Last Will

We, the 1976 class of Cumberland High School, being of sound mind and body, do hereby declare this to be our last will and testament. Our time here at Cumberland High is about to come to a close, but through the years we have obtained many valuables and gifts. We take this opportunity to pass on our most precious possessions and hope that our gifts will be accepted in the manner in which we give them, with humor and understanding.

To the underclassmen, we bequeath the following gifts, hoping they will bring happiness and prosperity to them.

SHARON ANDERSON wills Eddie Hodges her fantastic artistic abilities.
FRANCES E. BALDWIN wills Linda Carter her height.
WALLACE BANTON wills Harry Mason lunch at CHS.
GLAE BEARD wills Nickie Hendricks her talkativeness.
JOEL BISHOP wills Charles Seal a pack of Marlboro.
CARY A. BLANTON wills Cumberland High School his car, along with its \$3600.00 debt.
FREDA BLANTON wills Pamela Miller her ability to show respect and to get along with the students.
ALFRED BOOKER wills Wayne Holman his good looks.
ANNIE MAE BOOKER wills Pamela Miller her nose.
GREGORY BOOKER wills Carolyn R. Blanton, his main woman, all of the prosperity in life.
JOSEPH BROOKS wills Gordon Dickerson his dressing ability.
CAROL BROWN wills Nina Jones her small feet.
ED BROWN wills Jake Copeland some of his weight.
RANDY BRYANT wills David Pfeiffer his ability to play basketball and his old green tennis shoes to play in.
HAROLD CARTER wills Coach Johnson his height.
JACQUELINE CLARK wills Jacqueline Evans her smile.
TERRI CLAYTON wills Harold Varner her ability to be cartoonist of the school newspaper.
DAISY CRUMP wills Sandra Brown her small feet.
HARRY DAVENPORT wills Doris Trent his old tennis shoes and 2 cents.
A.V. DRIVER wills Stewart Grand his little black book.
WELDON FAGGINS wills Lawrence Woodson his pretty white teeth.
JOYCE FORD wills Darlene Royall her small waistline.
CURTIS FOX wills Jesse Grant a rusty nickel.
NANCY FRANKLIN wills Tammy McKay her ability to stay out of trouble.

ROBIN FRANKLIN wills Pat Speas the ability to have one face instead of two.
JOHN GARRETT wills Wallace Banton enough beer to get drunk off of.
ADRIENNE GILLIAM wills Ruby Johnson her enormous height.
DIANE GILLIAM wills Ruby Johnson her height.
SHELIA GILLIAM wills Frances Saunders her shapely body and her ability to get her own man.
VERNETTE GILLIAM wills Ruby Johnson her weight and ability to move in time of emergency.
KELLY HALE wills Donna Franklin her ability to drive a car.
SHERRI HARRISON wills Lee Blanton her seat in Mr. Vaughan's calculus class.
CHARLOTTE HAZLEGROVE wills Debbie Buchanan her ability to leave school early.
DOUG HEIL wills Jesse Grant a pack of Kools in the box.
ROSA HENDRICKS wills Renee Beard her height.
DANNY HENSHAW wills Jesse Grant the Presidency of Stud Club.
STEPHANIE HICKS wills the sophomore class her ability not to gossip, especially about her own friends.
CAROLYN HIGGINS wills her ability to sit the bench for Girls' Basketball.
SUSAN JACKSON wills her ability to get along with Brenda Wiley to Cordell West.
MAGNOLIA JAMES wills Paulette Trent her thin lips.
LONNIE JOHNSON wills D. Blanton his love.
PERCELL JOHNSON wills Lonnie Johnson his ability to get along with girls.
ALICE JONES wills Chubby Sims her size.

And Testament

PATRICIA JONES wills Ruby Johnson her height.
EDWARD LANGHORNE wills Louis Hatcher good looks.
TERESA LANGHORNE wills Sandra Brown happiness.
FRED LEHMAN wills nobody nothing.
JACKIE LEWIS wills Beanna Mosby her ability to be cautious with guys who are popular.
SYLVESTER LIPSCOMB wills Bernard Brown his afro.
PHILIP MCNEAL wills Sampson Brown his ability to tell jokes.
CINDY MCABEE wills Lucy Blackwell her ability to shoot the basketball at the right end of the court during a game.
CHARLES R. MARTIN wills Wayne Conners his great ability to skip class.
BONNIE MASON wills Marlene Hess the ability to back into the parking space without hitting the light pole or other objects.
MARVIN MEADOWS wills Wayne Conners the good fortune to stay in good and be close friends with Coach Neville.
TERESA MENDEZ wills all of the juniors her ability to drive and Frankie Perkins some of thick hair and her "tiny" feet.
SALONGE MILLER wills Gonzalee Mosby her gray hair, because for someone who is so mature, she looks so young.
PENNY MOOREFIELD wills the entire student body her athletic ability and the goals of success for the future.
DALE MOUNCE wills his excellent mechanical "know-how" in shop class and his incinerator job to Wayne Conners.
KATHLEEN RIDDLE wills Patricia Mayo her petite shape.

VIOLA RIDDLE wills Rose Marie Lyle her petite figure.
JEANETTE ROHDE wills Vicki Wingfield her slimness even though this is impossible.
CONNIE SAUNDERS wills Connie Davis her ability to get along with the teachers.
RONALD SAUNDERS wills Wayne Conner his ability to not talk back to the coach when he's doggin' ya.
MARK SHEARN wills Lawrence Woodson good looks.
PAM SHELTON wills Pat Speas the ability to have only one face.
CAROLINE SIMS wills Gwen Nash her ability to grow long fingernails.
NORA SMITH wills Sharon Langhorne her shape.
JERITA SPEAS wills Nash Tatus her dog muzzle and Cindy Ingle, Debbie Arndt, and anyone else who needs it her ability to quickly catch a husband.
ROSE MARY TRENT wills Tonia Trent her petite shape.
TED TRENT wills to any extremely fortunate person staying at CHS the ability not to eat in the school lunchroom.
NANCY TURPIN wills Charlene Martin her ability to type 65 words a minute.
MALCOLM VANNOY wills Tony Mullins his track skills.
GUSSIE VAUGHTER wills the junior class compatibility.
LINDA WILEY wills all the Aries their place among the top of the leaders.
DARCY WILLIAMS wills Gonzalee Mosby her ability to leap into the air during basketball season.
JERRY L. WILSON wills Cordell West his love, dedication, charm, and prosperity in life.

We're Finally There!

For ten years the class of '77 has plodded along--not really doing anything. But now they have finally become Juniors with status and, above all, organization. They have leadership, ability, and enough energy to show Cumberland High that a little organization can go a long ways.



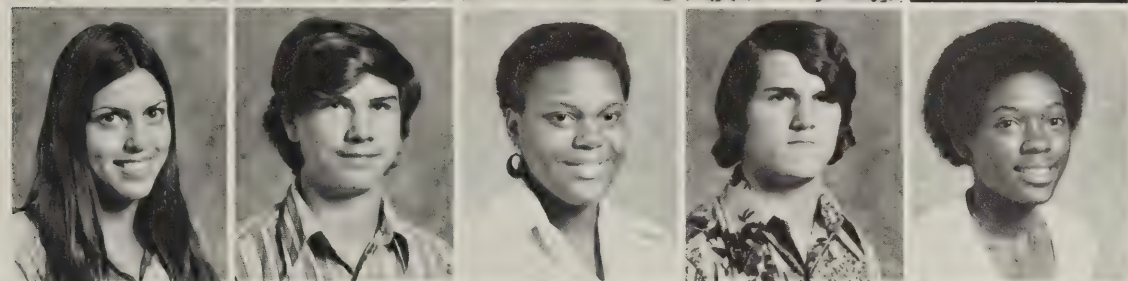
Juniors, The Height Of Organization!

Left: Gonzalee Mosby, Aubrey Kennon, Curtiss Lyons, and Brenda Trent work with Miss Stombock in making sure the prom has the best band around. Below: Junior class officers--Linda Anderson, President; Frankie Perkins, Treasurer; Robert Trent, Reporter; Cordell West, Secretary. Below Bottom: Jesse Grant, Junior Vice-President, works with Cordell West in making plans for the prom.





Judy Adkins
Willie Allen
Linda Anderson
Debra Arndt
Teresa Asal



Elizabeth Berlin
Jimmy Blackwell
Carolyn Blanton
Keith Bollinger
Joyce Brooks



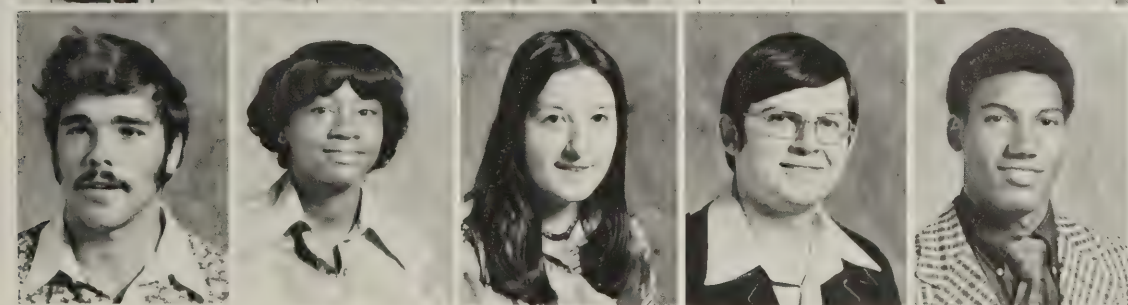
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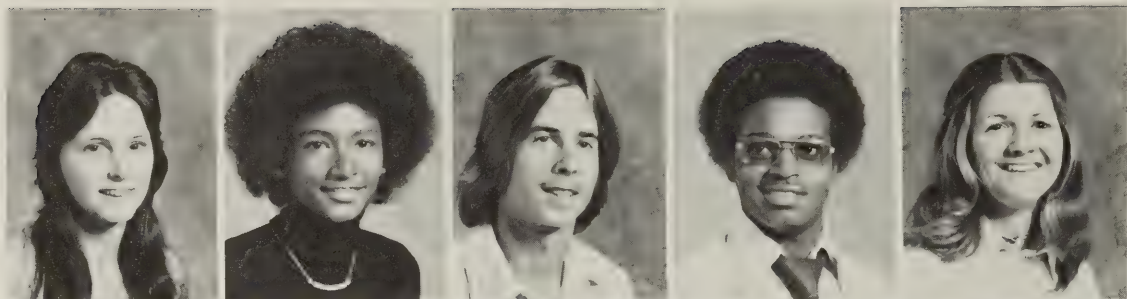


Herb Clark
Richard Cockman
Martha Cockran
George Cooke
Becky Conner



Jerry Conner
Loyce Crump
Connie Davis
Ronnie Davis
Gordon Dickerson

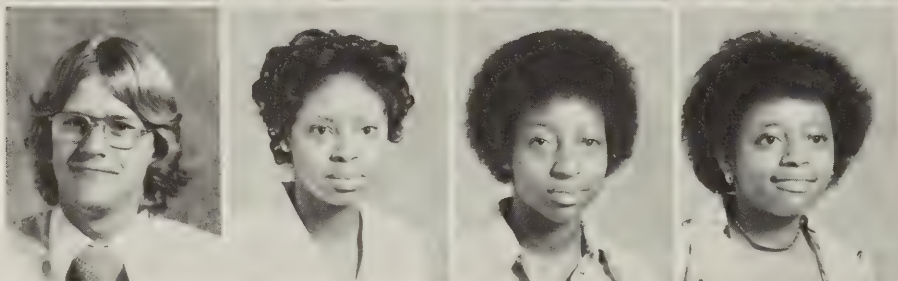
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Linda Eames
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Howard Ferguson
Emily Finch

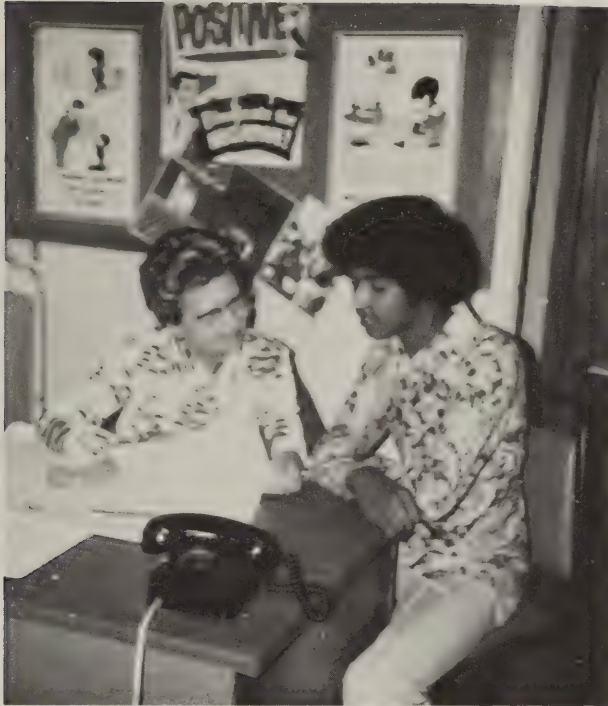


Terri Fisher
Rickey Foster
Howard Fox
Curtis Gilliam
Yetta Gilliam



Jesse Grant
Vivian Gray
Margaret Griggs
Julia Hampton





About That College

Juniors, at one time or another, feel the need to further their education. However, many of them cannot reach into their back pockets and pull out tuition --nor do they know how to begin to apply for college admission. That is why they huddle with counselors, teachers, and college representatives to find colleges best suited for them and get scholarships appropriate to their situations. Now that takes organization!

LEFT: Mrs. Isenbarger advises Robert Trent in his selection of colleges.

BELOW: Margaret Griggs, George Cooke and Andrew Tyler try for their scholarships through the Voice of Democracy Contest.

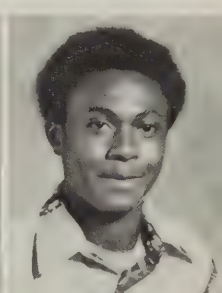


The Ring Man Cometh

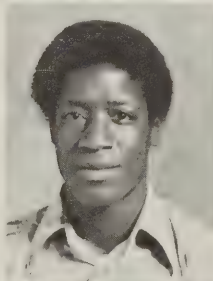
Rings--pay 'em off, show 'em off! The brilliant, glistening stones encased in pure, shining, and, as yet, unscratched gold or ultrium. No Junior should be without a '77 class ring.



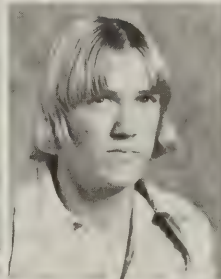
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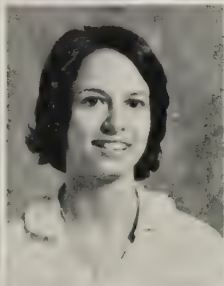
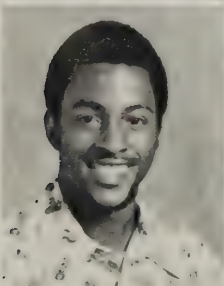
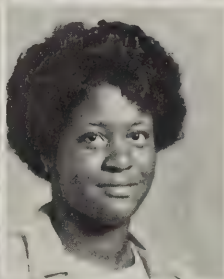
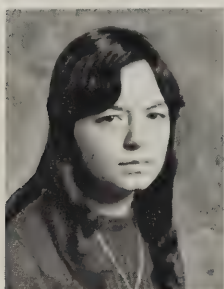
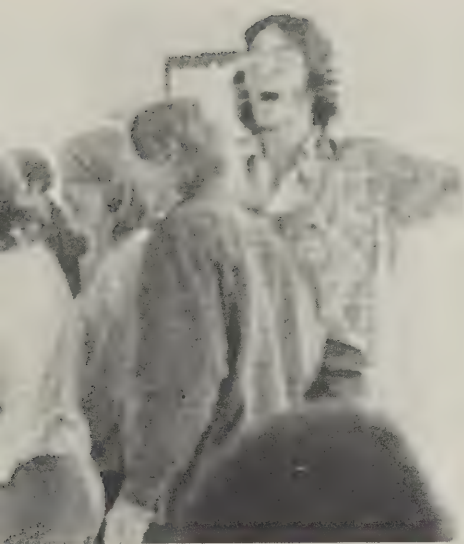


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Bobby Morgan
Gonzalee Mosby



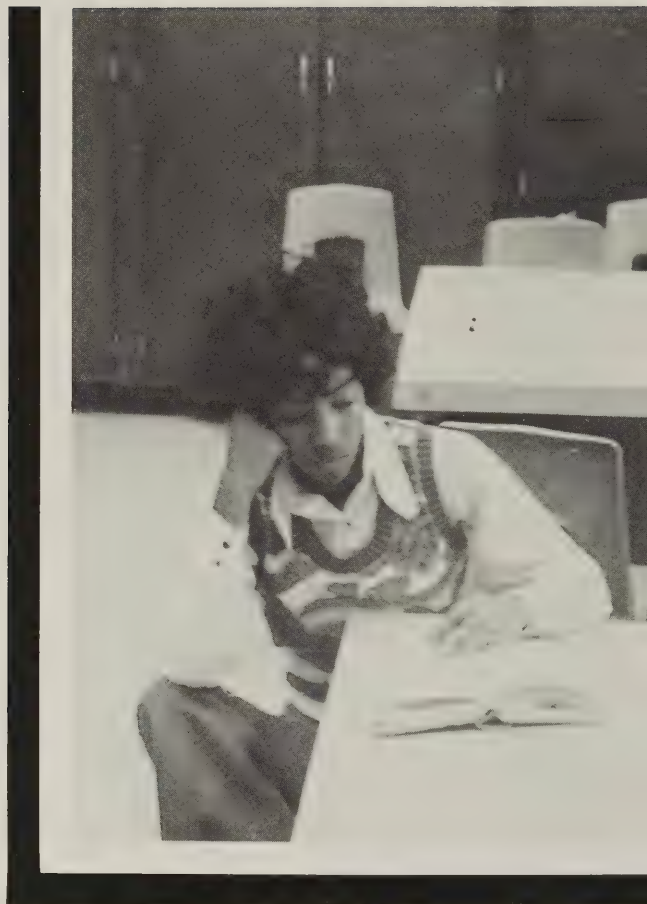
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Donna Rowe





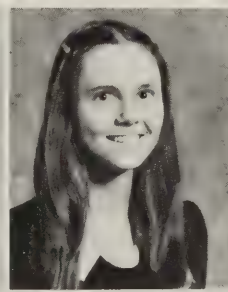
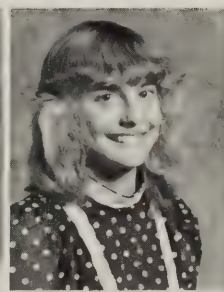
Organization Boring?

You bet it is! After being so organized and finishing taking tests, paying dues, preparing for the prom, talking with counselors, and receiving rings, boredom sets in. All of the important things are in the past, and now comes the waiting for that even bigger year when all of this experience with organization can really be advantageous.

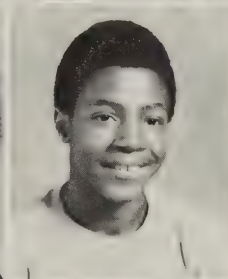




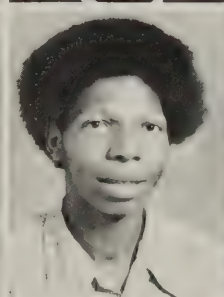
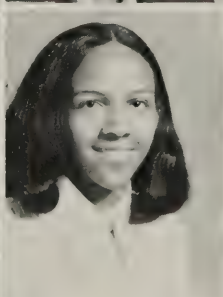
Well, there you have it--a complete and compact story of the hectic, yet rewarding life of the average, everyday, run-of-the-mill Junior at grand ole Cumberland High School.



Darlene Royall
Patricia Simms
Judi Stanley
Mary Tanner
Debbie Turbyfill



Brenda Trent
Herman Trent
Paulette Trent
Robert Trent
Roy Trent

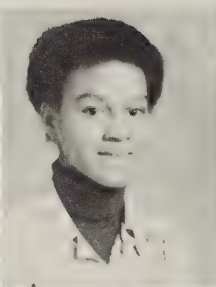
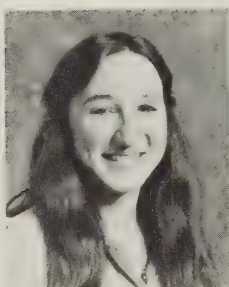


Andrew Tyler
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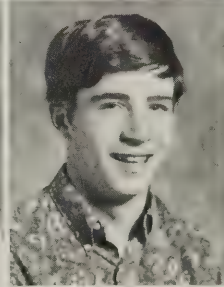
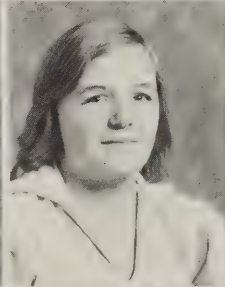
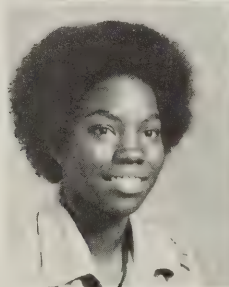
“Stuck In The Middle”



Wanda Adkins
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Hubert Allen
Bobby Anderson
Raymond Anderson



Theresa Baker
Vicky Baldwin
Donna Barr
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Ronna Barr

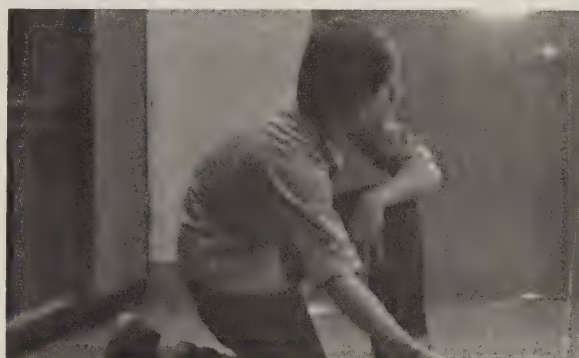


Rene Beard
Sharon Beard
Lucy Blackwell
Barbara Blanton
Dorine Blanton



The sophomore year is the "stuck in the middle" year. Sophomores are not really old enough to do things juniors and seniors do, nor do they feel comfortable with the younger eighth and ninth graders. The juniors and seniors are talking about driving places, going to the prom, or graduation while most sophomores are not even old enough to have a license. The eighth and ninth grades are doing things like running, yelling and teasing members of the opposite sex--things much too immature for 10th graders. Sophomores are "stuck in the middle", but it can be a good feeling knowing that a lot of childish things are behind and a lot of exciting things are to come.

Tenth graders Rhonda Cannan, Darryl Oliver, and Doug Mounce pursue their personal activities during their free lunch period.



Ervin Boatwright
Thelma Booker
Debbie Boyles
Nathan Branch
Ruth Brooks

Buddy Broward
Harold Brown
Kathy Bruce
Rhonda Canaan
Laverne Clark

Joey Companion
Jake Copeland
Fred Cosby
Lewis Crews
McKinley Crump

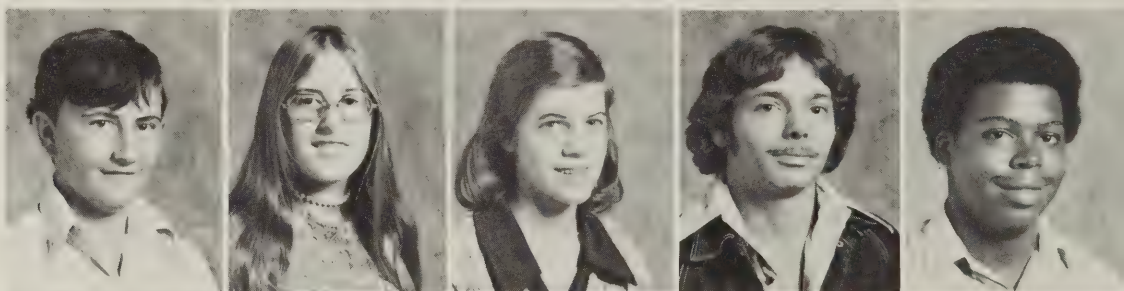
When Do I Study?

Sophomores have a difficult time deciding when to study and when to play. At times studying seems so dull and useless while play seems just the opposite. Sophomores often ask why they must study. If there was a resident sociologist at CHS, he would preach "deferred gratification". You have to wait patiently and endure to reach a goal. The goal is not immediate. School is an endurance test--sophomores must learn to endure.



ABOVE: Jimmy Nygaard was selected to attend The Governor's School for the Gifted and Allan Porterfield was designated as an alternate.

Eugene Davis
Ann Dawson
Beth Dingus
Matt Duty
Eric Emerson

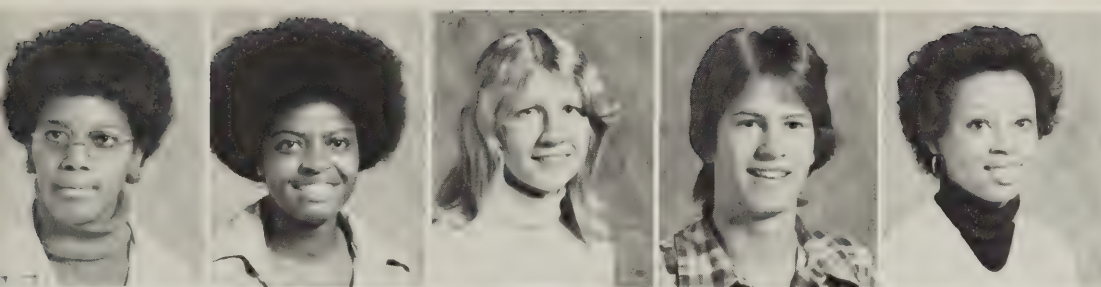


Bridgette Evans
Pat Fisher
Bobby Flippen
Calvin Flowers
Larry Ford



Sandra Foster
Donna Franklin
Rodney Franklin
Becky Garrett
Andre Gilliam





Geneathia Gilliam
Wynetta Gilliam
Susan Goodman
Stewart Grant
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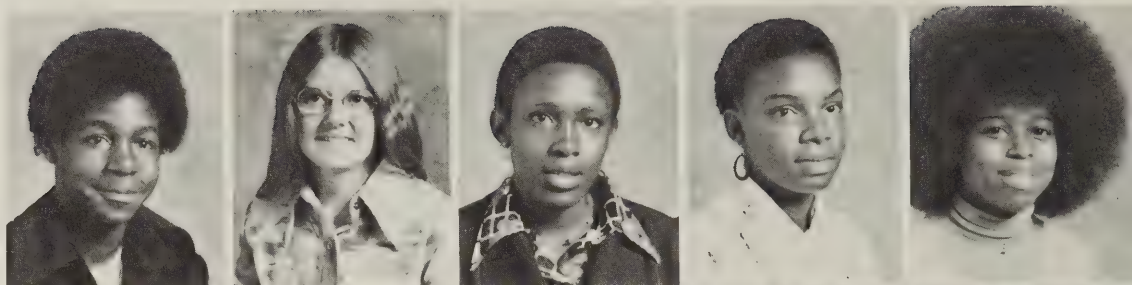
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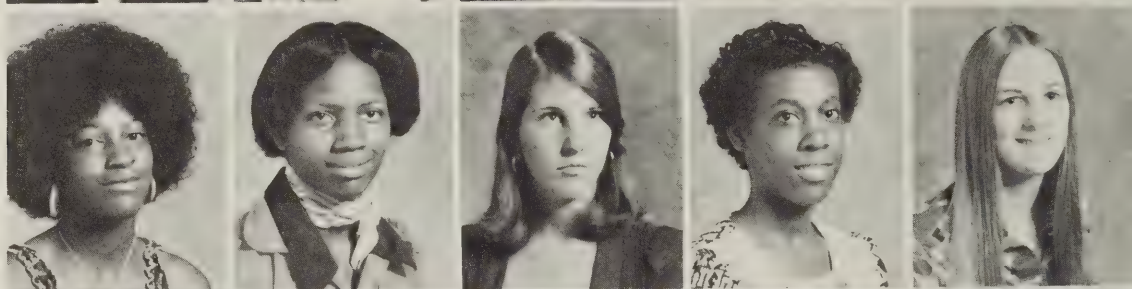
Or When
Do I
Relax?

ABOVE: Debbie Wingfield and John Martin relax during lunch.

Antoine Johnson
Kay Johnson
Robbie Johnson
Stacy Johnson
Mary Jones



Nina Jones
Sharon Langhorne
Cheryl Lewis
Shelia Liggins
Diane Mahan



Franklin Marion
Peter Martens
John Martin
Tammy Martin
Tammy McKay



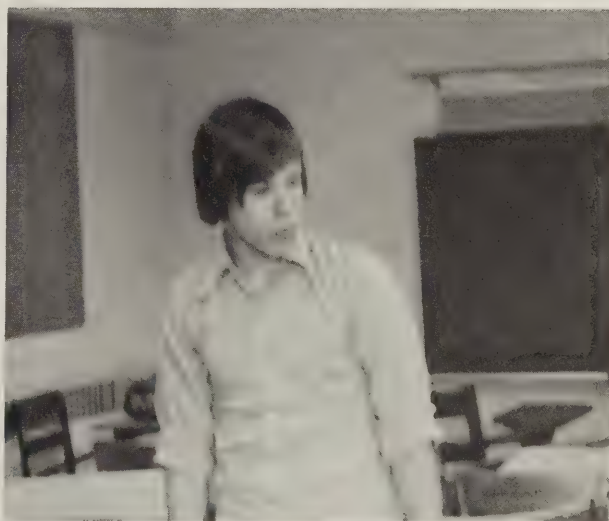
ABOVE: David Pfeiffer, Charlene Martin, and Calvin Flowers have a bout with a trusty water pistol.



Sophomores Fight For Drivers Ed.

Academically and socially, the point of excitement of the sophomore year revolves around the car. The sophomore year is the year of drivers' education. When the car comes for "behind the wheel driving", students pile into the office to sign up. Those who are lucky get to drive during the school year, some drive during the summer, and some unlucky souls have to spend the entire summer without wheels and waiting until the next time around.

It is impossible to get a license or decent insurance premiums without this course and many use drivers' education as their only practice for a license. As one student said, "I did not have much opportunity to drive before drivers' education, but now I can drive!"



ABOVE: Doug Mounce takes a break from his studies.

LaAnja
McLendon
Shelia Morgan
Gwen Nash
Teresa Patterson
Kenny Pipjunge

Deloris Monroe
Pearl Mosby
Jimmy Nygaard
Debra Pembleton
Hunter Pleasants

Eddie
Moorefield
Doug Mounce
Darryl Oliver
David Pfeiffer
Jeanette
Pleasants



Judy Pomfrey
Darleen
Robertson

Allan
Porterfield
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Noah Pryor
Frances Saunders

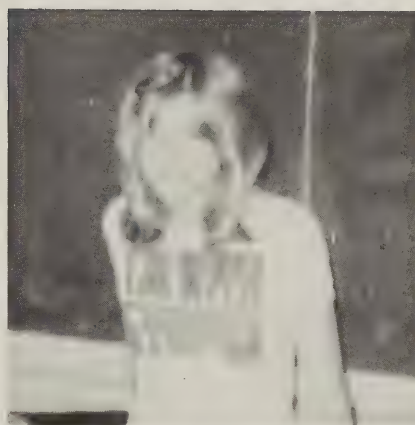
Wilma Randolph
Lillian Simms

Joyce Riddle
Gwen Sims



Sophomores Accept High School Fads

T-shirts were a big fashion accessory for sophomores this year. T-shirts advertising Adidas tennis shoes, Lipton tea, and Campbell's soup were prevalent. Slogans such as "Braces are Beautiful", "I'm Proud to be a Farmer's Daughter", and "Sweet Honesty" were plastered on people's chests. Students could buy T-shirts already printed or have their own words printed. The T-shirts were definitely a great way for sophomores to "preach their cause".



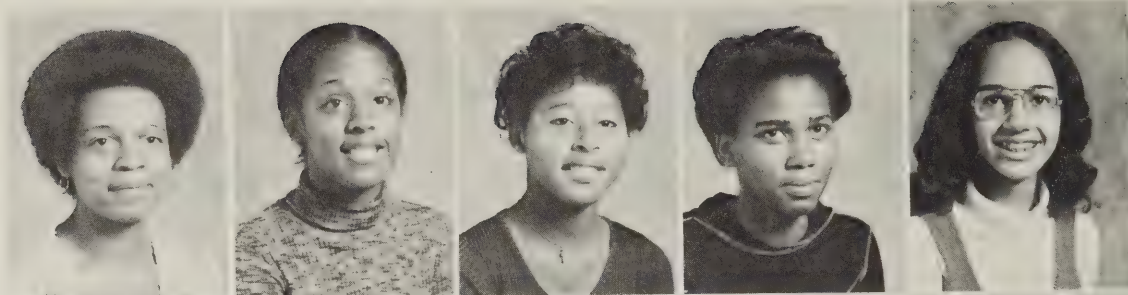
Susan Towler displays one of the slogans which made T-shirts popular.



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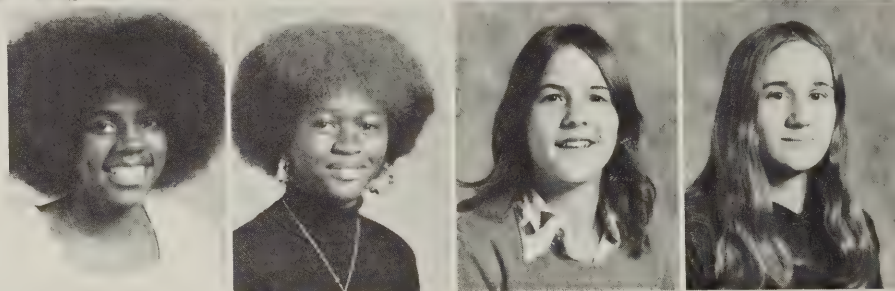
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Vicki Wingfield
Frances Womack



Tenth graders help in all facets of sports as Lucy Blackwell takes up money at a sporting event.

Involvement In Sports Increases With Age

Because sophomores are "stuck in the middle" they are often regarded as the pivotal point of teams and activities. They have acquired the basic skills and knowledge in the 8th and 9th grades, they are able to refine their knowledge in the 10th and 11th grades and by the 12th grade they have become real leaders.

The sophomore year is indeed both a year to look back--to call forth knowledge from past experiences and a year to look forward--to the exciting life that awaits.

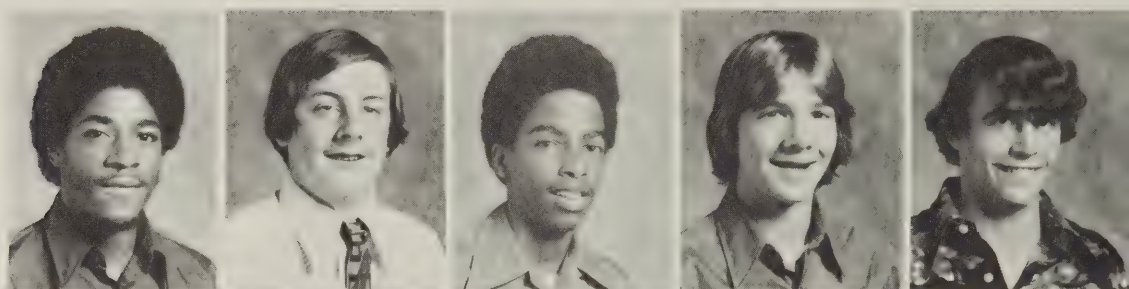


LEFT: Tenth graders contribute to the athletic program as they participate in track. BELOW: Sophomores add spirit to a CHS pep rally.

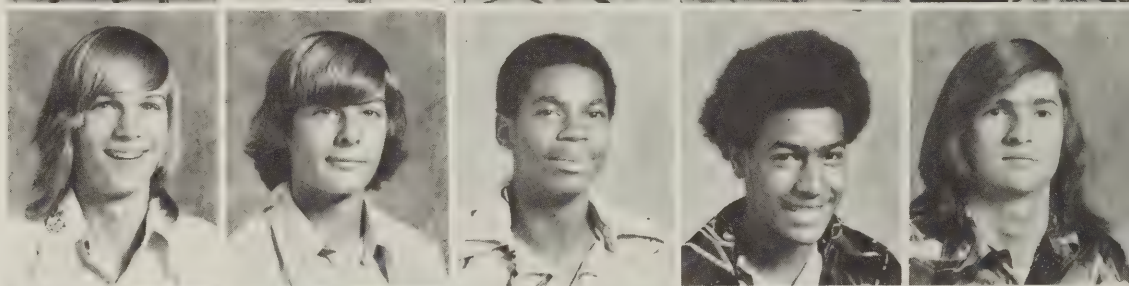


Involvement Comes With The Freshmen

Robert Adams
Steve Atkinson
Ronald Austin
Andy Baber
Jerry Barbour



Randy Barr
Chris Bishop
Rufus Blanton
Lester Boatwright
Roger Bowles



Danny Bowles
Alice Brooks
Gwendolyn Brooks
James Brooks
Elnathan Brooks



What a whirlwind the freshmen have been swept into! Biology lab work, geometry proofs, civilization of European countries, and creative English compositions all in one gust--not to mention club participation and sports involvement. They've got more responsibilities and lots more work. Last year they stood in the background and took cuts left and right. But this year they're here and everybody knows it.



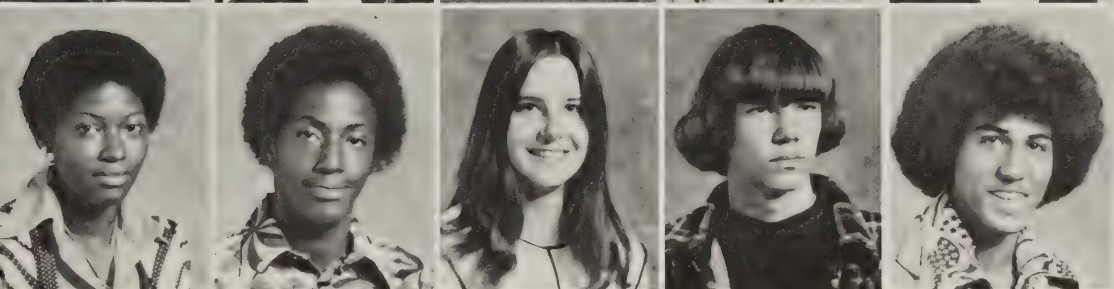
Eighth grader Gwendolyn Brooks, center, prepares for a math contest with, Cathy Pleasants, right, and Nancy Jackson, left, under the guidance of Mrs. Stimpson.



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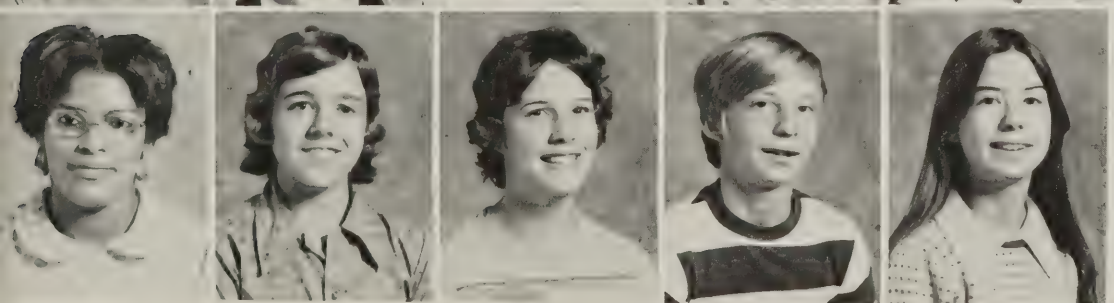
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Susie Randolph and Felicia Brown find time to enjoy gymnastic equipment.



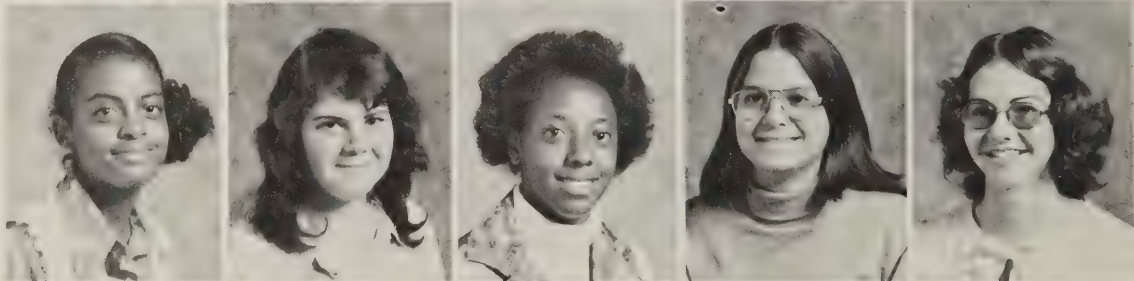
Freshmen Involvement Extends To Sports

Even if freshmen have been stunned a little by new academic responsibilities; they still find time for sports. As the year progresses freshmen become more and more involved in sports, until the end of the year, when the ones that have excelled most are ready for varsity sports. Next year some of them will have reached varsity status, but some will remain behind to continue helping out the J.V. sports.

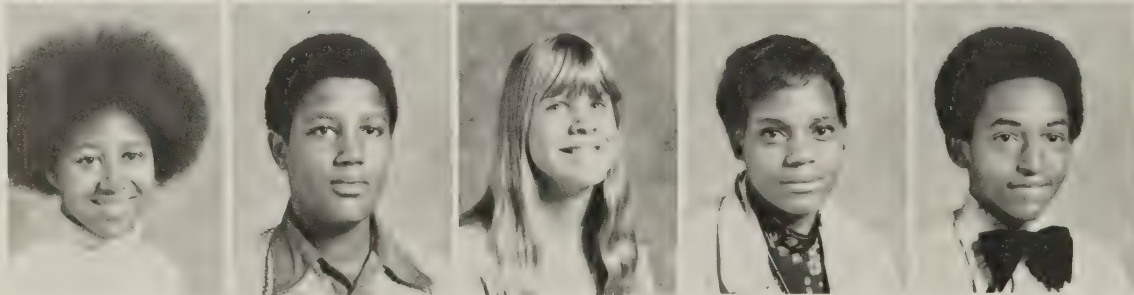
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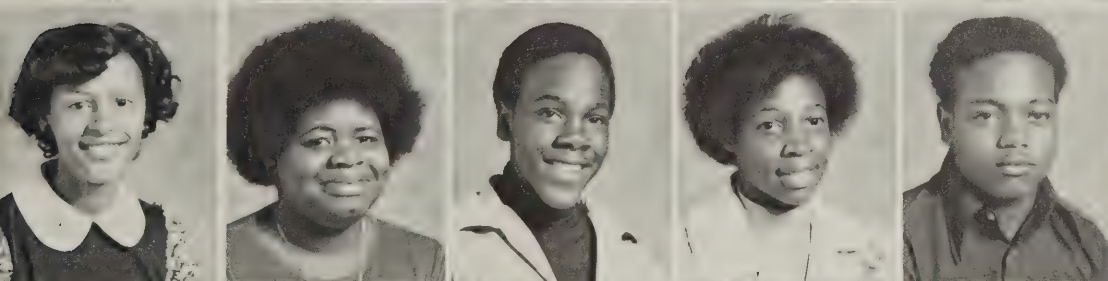
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Harry Mason
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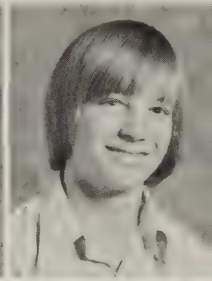
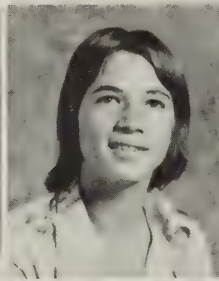
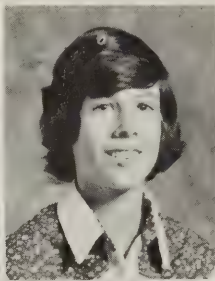
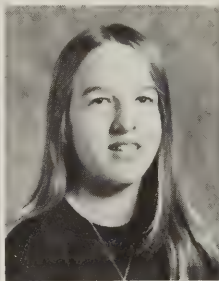
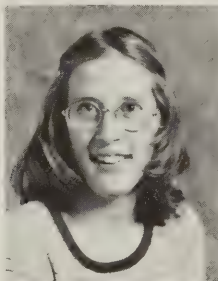
Diane Mounce discovers from tenth grader, Donna Franklin, that you must do your homework. Alfreda Hatcher looks on at the excitement.

Freshmen Enjoy Learning

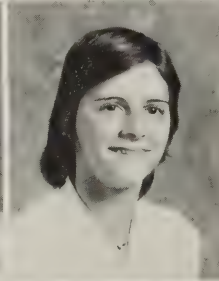
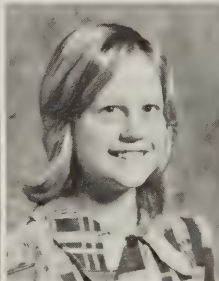
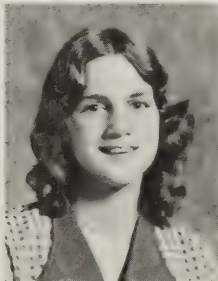
All in all, the freshman year isn't bad. Sure, they're things you have to get used to, but for this bunch it's "no pressure." We've learned a lot this year, not all from our teachers, but the source isn't really important. Most of all and most important we've had a half-way decent time!



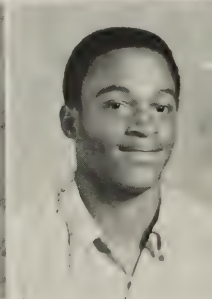
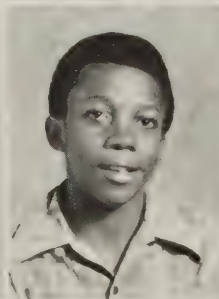
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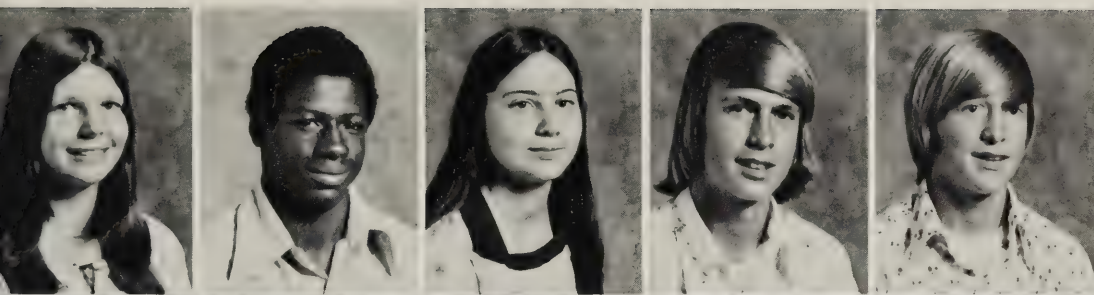


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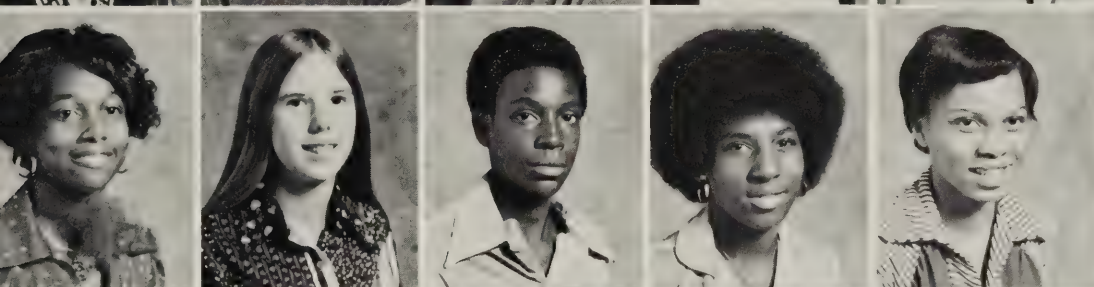




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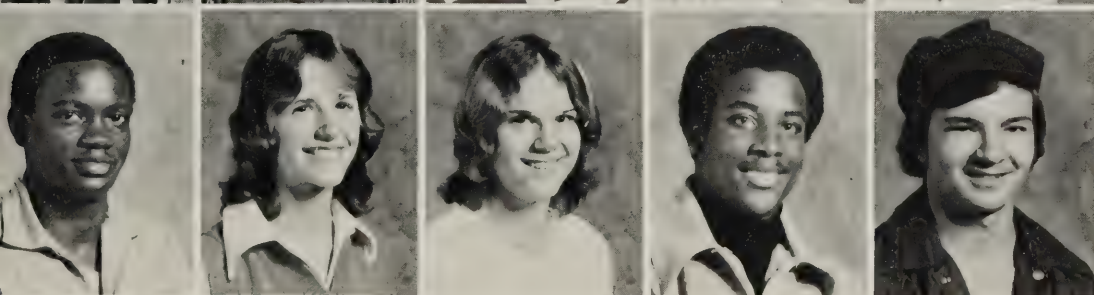
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Amy Wilson
Janet Wilson



Robert Wilson
Tammy Womack
Connie Wood
Tim Woodson
Charles Yopp

The Start Of Another Busy Day At C.H.S.

Although they were not the youngest at the school, the eighth graders, along with the seventh graders, were the newest. In any new venture there is confusion. This was evident in the eighth graders' approach to high school life. In the confusion a strange thing emerged--study habits. Eighth graders, like everyone else, were caught in the busy routine of ordinary high school life.



LEFT: Michelle Taparino attempts to educate a brush.
ABOVE: Ginny Jones smiles in relief as she realizes that her first high school exam is over.

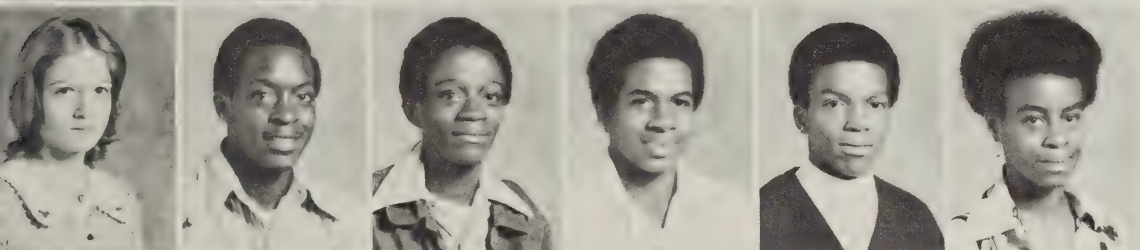




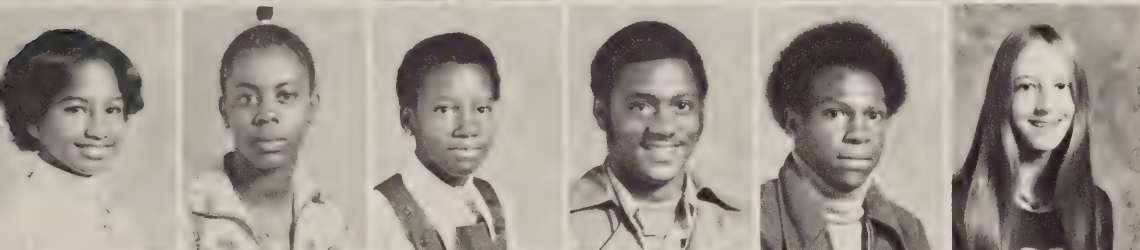
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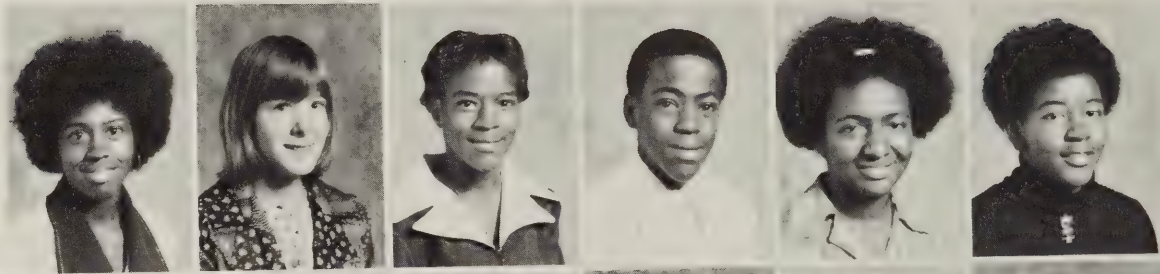
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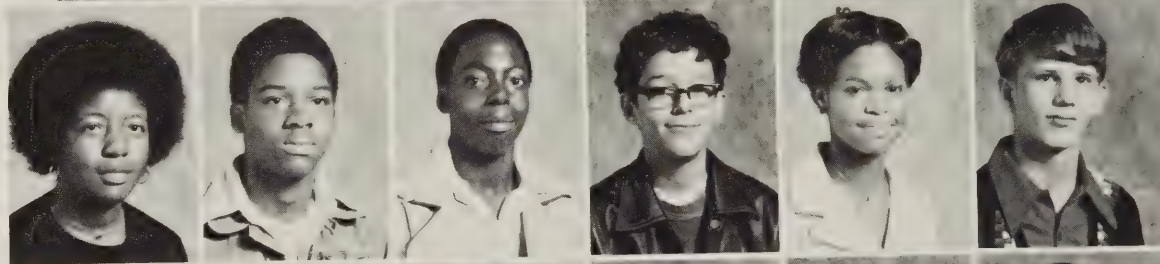
Kathy Pleasants finds time to relax even with her busy schedule.

All This Darn Studying

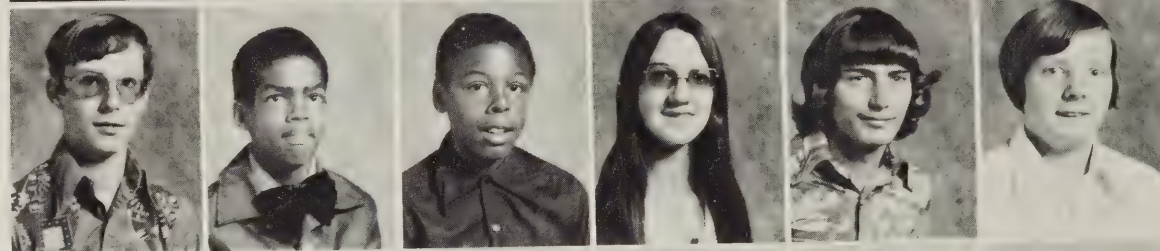
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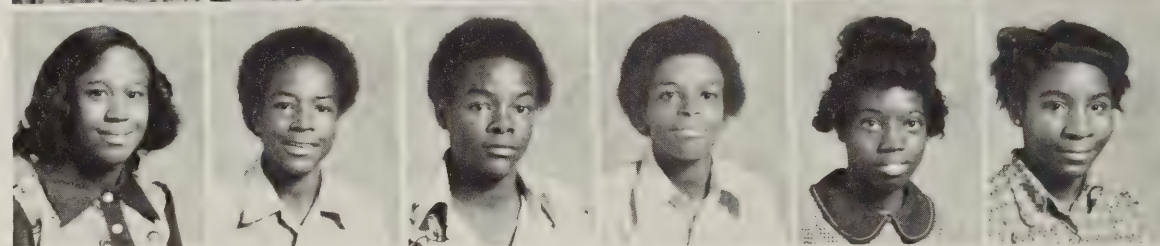
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Barbara Copeland
Charles Copeland
John Copeland
Curtis Crews
Estelle Crump
Minnie Crump



As the year progressed the eighth graders found that the little bit of studying, which had given them early school year shock, was only a small portion of what could be expected. They found that to pass the eighth grade it was important to know what synclines and geosynclines are, what the square root of 1,675 is, and most important of all--how to conjugate the verb "to be". Some of the eighth graders adapted immediately, some adapted in a month or so, and some will still be trying to get the hang of it next year.



Brenda McAbee readily adapted to high school life.



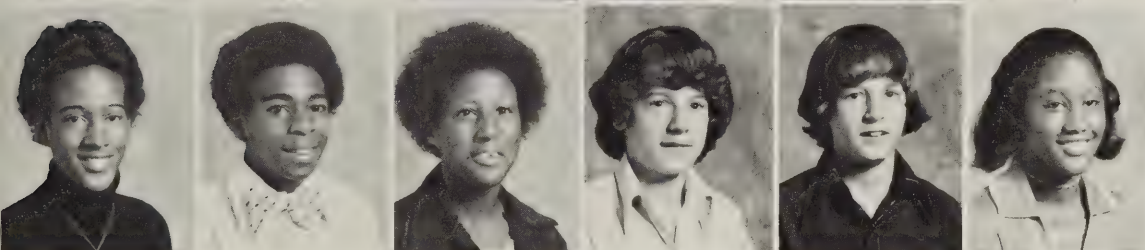
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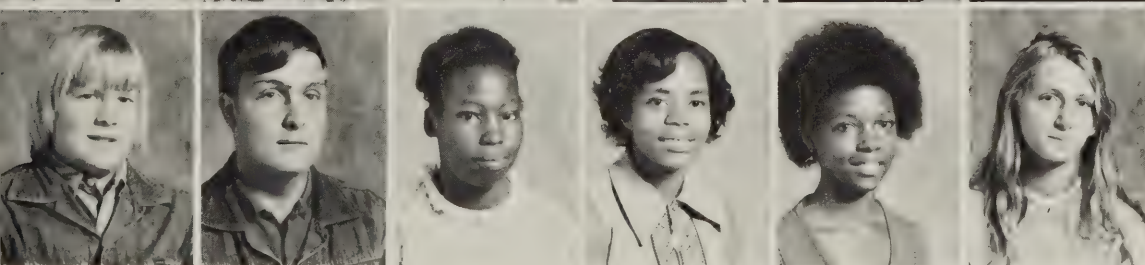
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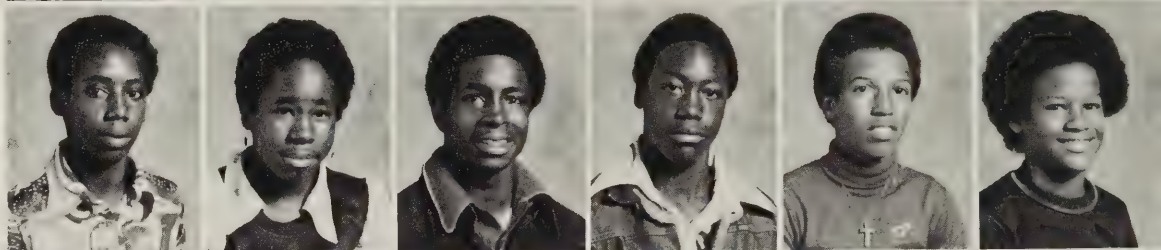


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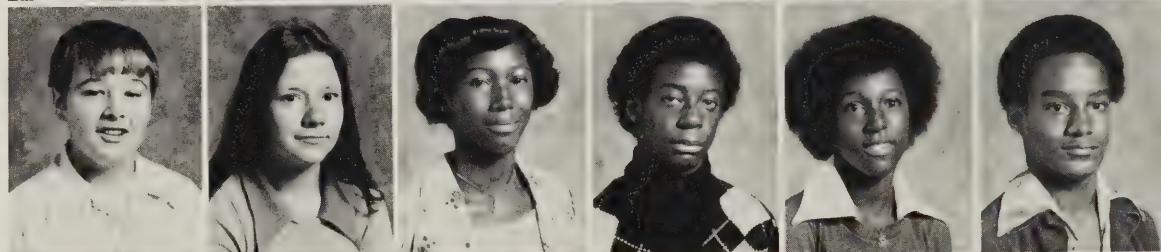
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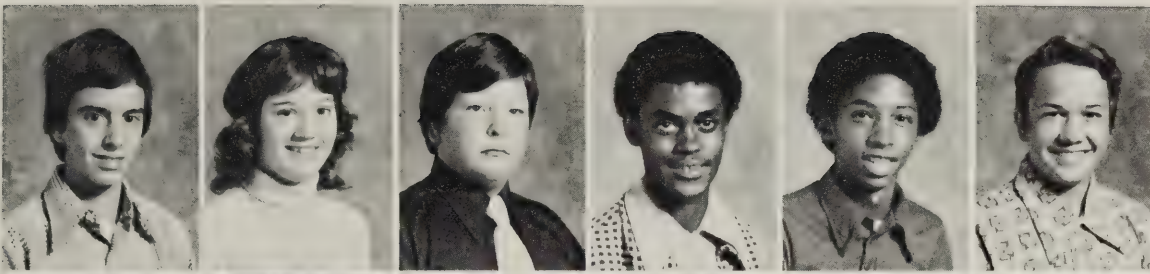


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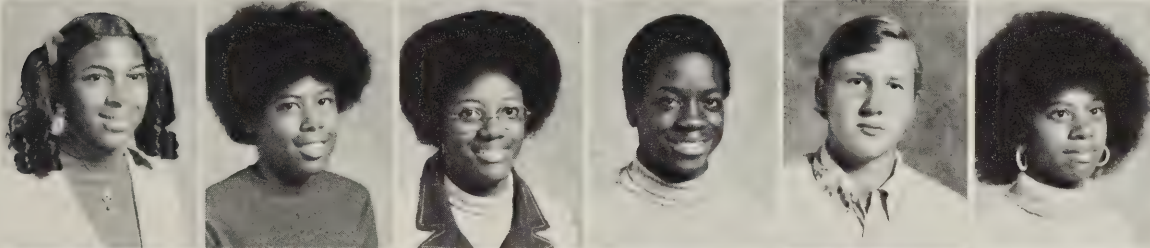




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Priscilla Randolph
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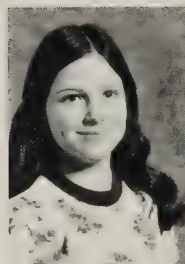
Finally! A Break!

After half of a day's work, anyone would be ready for a break. Eighth graders took advantage of this break by socializing with friends they hadn't seen since their last class. Over their leisurely lunch, they talked of the morning's events and speculated as to what the afternoon would bring. At the ring of the bell they bade each other good-bye and went to their next class.

Students find time to socialize during their lunch period.



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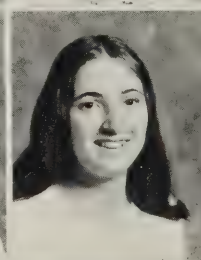
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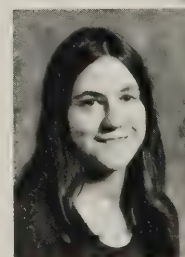


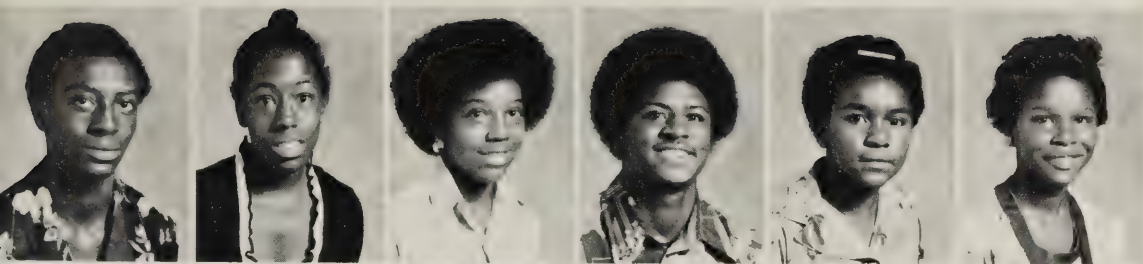
TOP: Kathy Thomas ponders over the events of the day. ABOVE:
Students hurry to classes after lunch.

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Clarence Taylor



Kathy Thomas
Ricky Thompson





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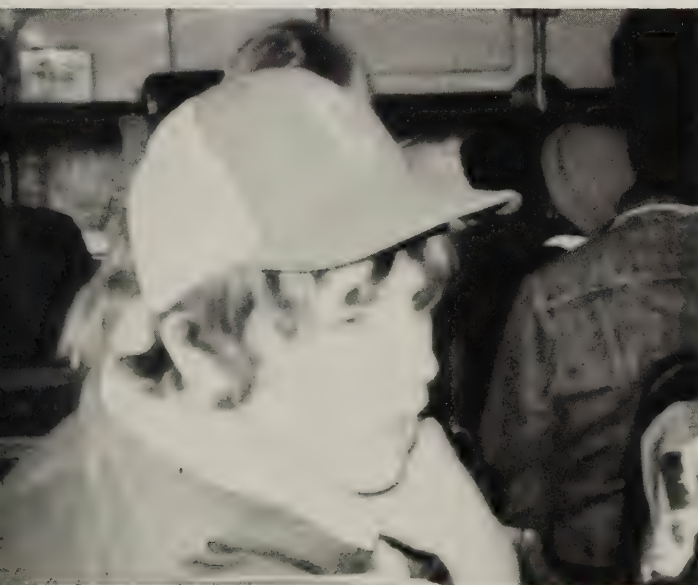


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Nancy Whittaker
Debbie Wingfield



Dorothy Woodson
Pearl Woodson

That's All For Today



Freeman Wallace returns home after a hard day's work.

After all the confusion of finding classes, getting to them on time, and studying, the eighth graders were ready to call it quits for one day. Now came the ride home with friends. Upon arrival at home chores such as mowing the grass, working in the garden, and taking care of livestock had to be done. It was all in a day's work. As the day came to a close, thoughts of another busy day at CHS came to mind.

The Coming Of The Munchkins

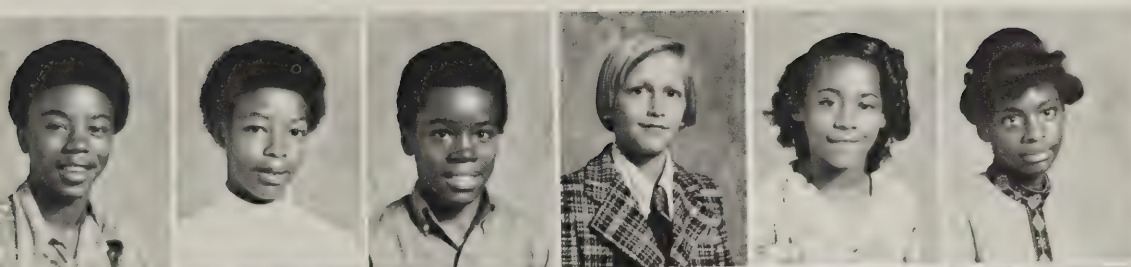
Seventh graders are now here, and they're just beginning to be broken in. Lots of new classes, lots of new people, and some new teachers take a little getting used to. Even if it is a little hard on seventh graders, they still have to make a good impression on everybody, since this is the first year they've been here.



Above Right: Elizabeth Speas and James Wheeler admire their Spring bulletin board.

Right: Mary Johnson, Linda Brown, and Laurie Womack bring a little Spring into their class room, as their class made terrariums for a science project.

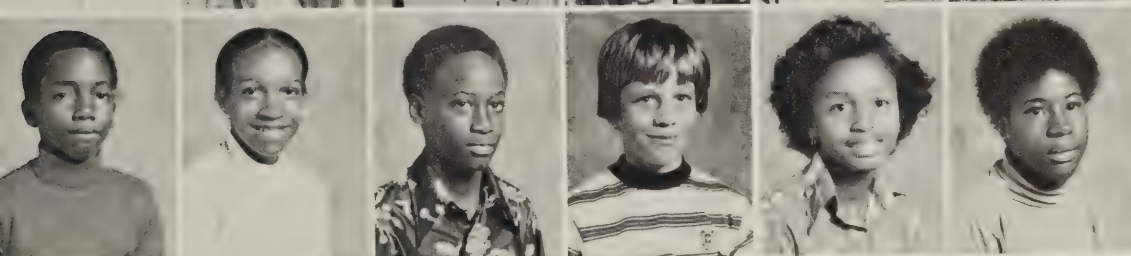




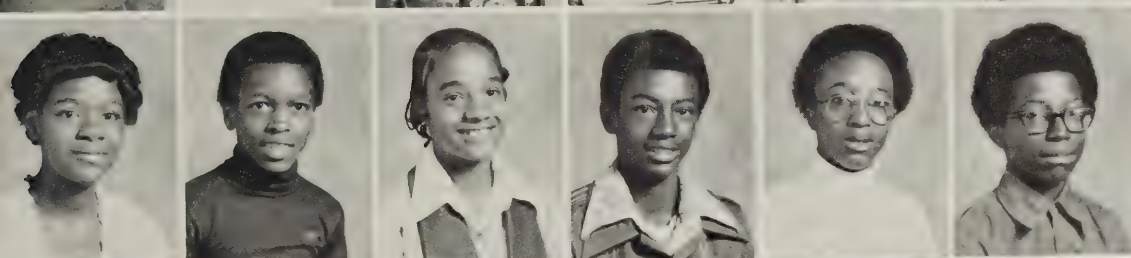
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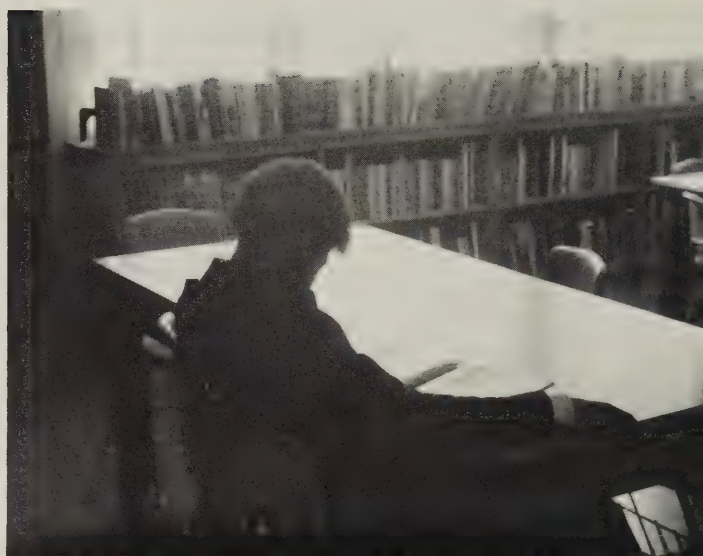
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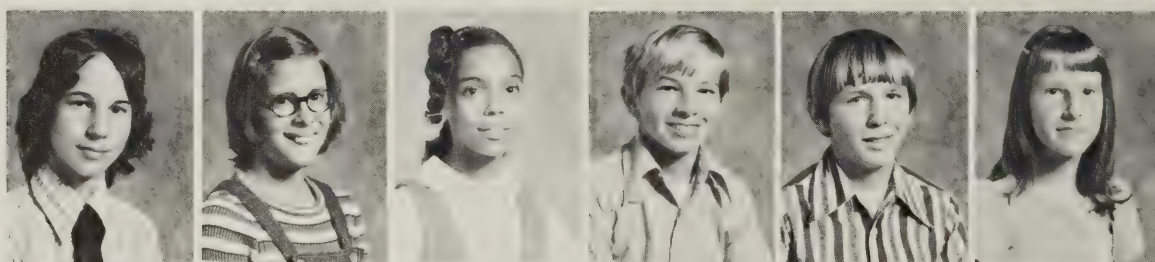
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Seventh Graders Become Oriented

Seventh graders, although they made the move to high school, remained pretty much in the same area. They did not mingle much socially but they watched the older students and picked up many of their habits. Some were good, some not so good. One good thing they did learn by observing was how to use the library for study and enjoyment. The student to the right has learned to use the library well. He now sets the example for students to follow.



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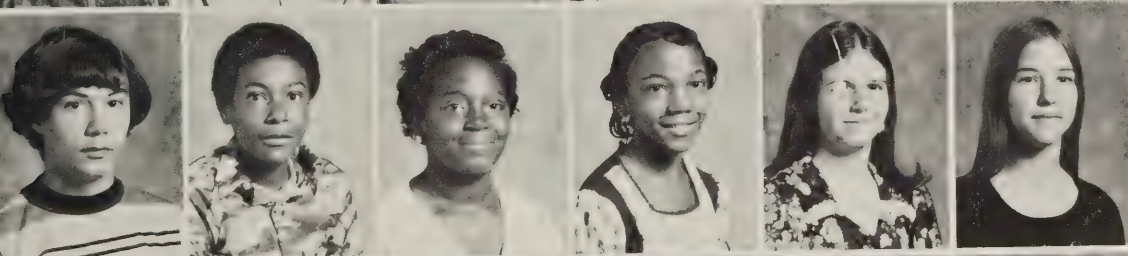




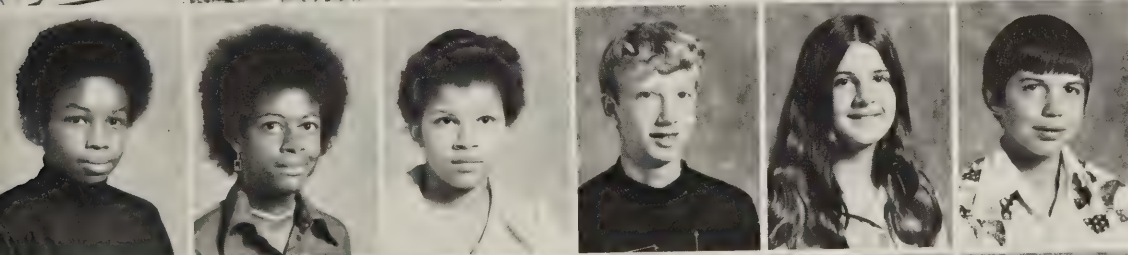
Mrs. Smith prepares
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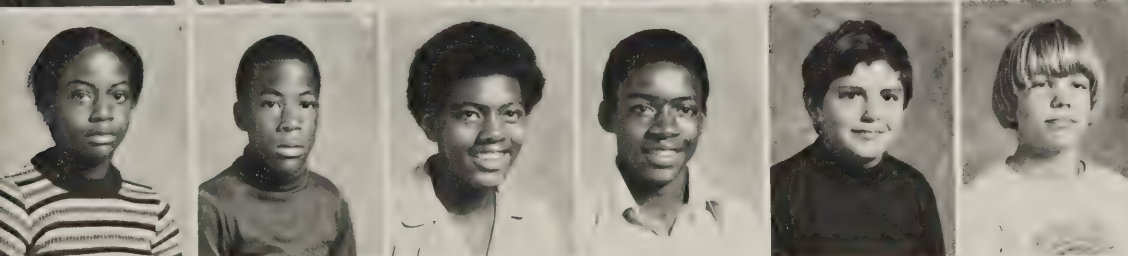
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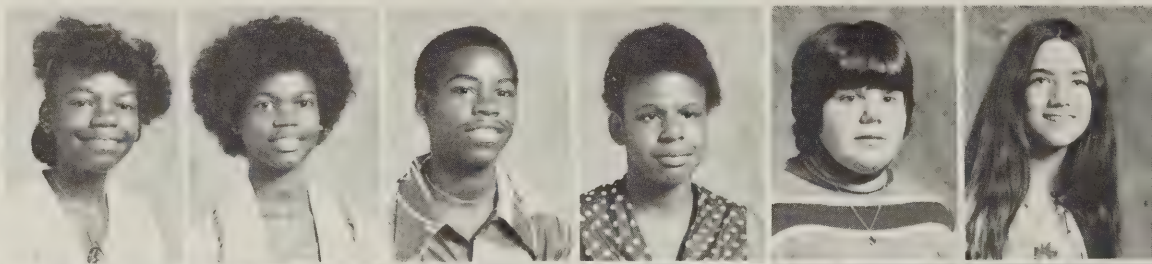
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Seventh Graders Pioneers

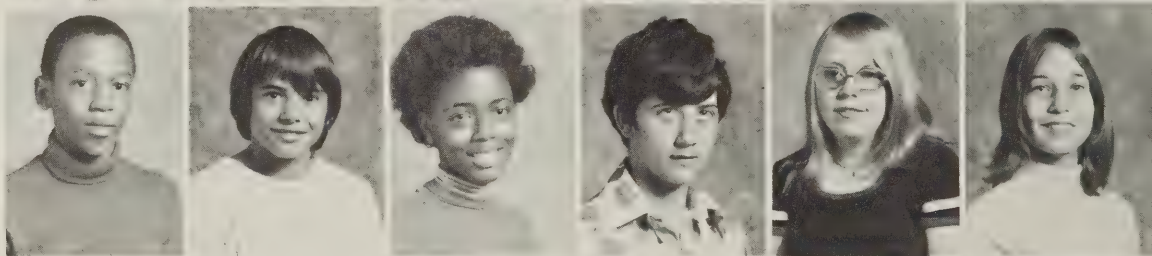
This year's seventh graders had an experience which not even elder sisters and brothers could warn them about. They were the first seventh graders to come to the high school. Many of the seventh graders complained because they thought they had missed the most important part of elementary school, that of being the biggest, the tallest, and the strongest. When they came to the high school all hopes of this feeling were dashed, as they stared into the belt buckles of 6'5" brawn.



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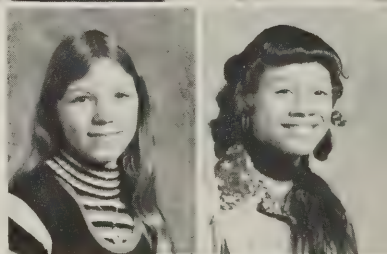


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Seventh graders study diligently.

Wanda Epps
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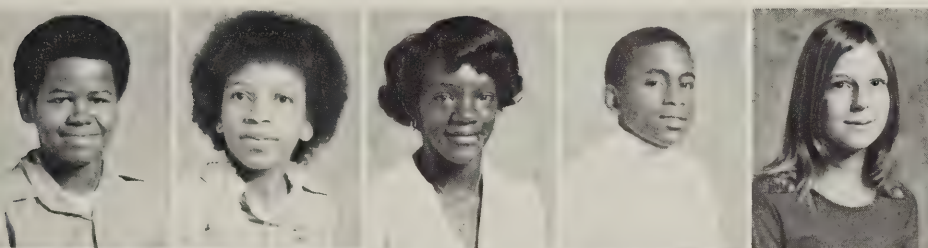


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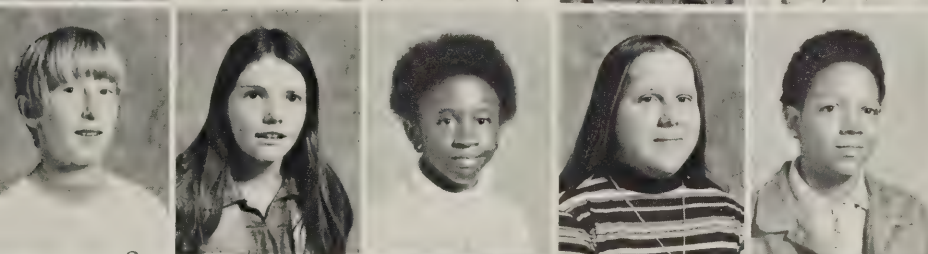
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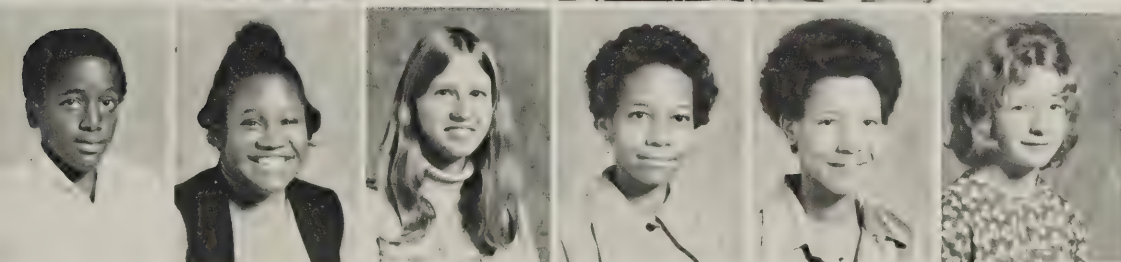
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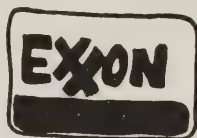


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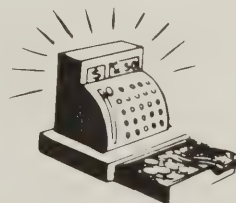
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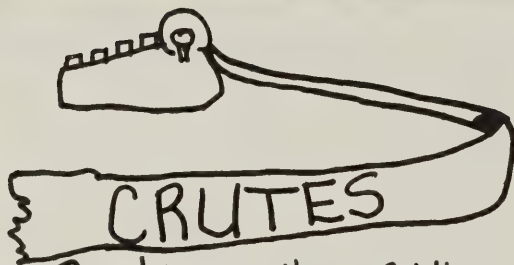
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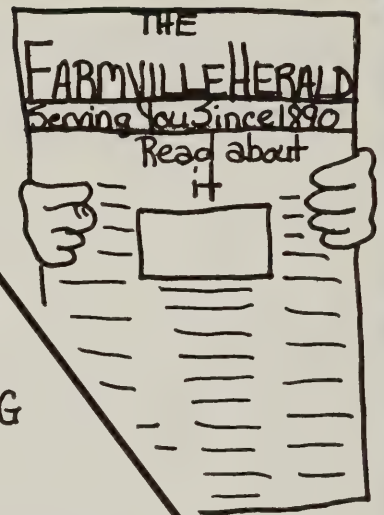
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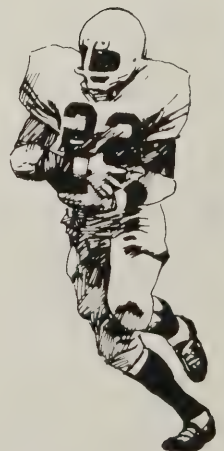
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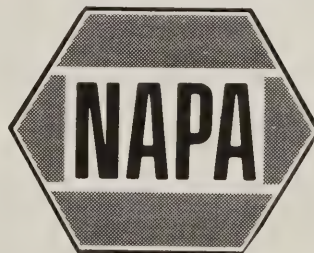
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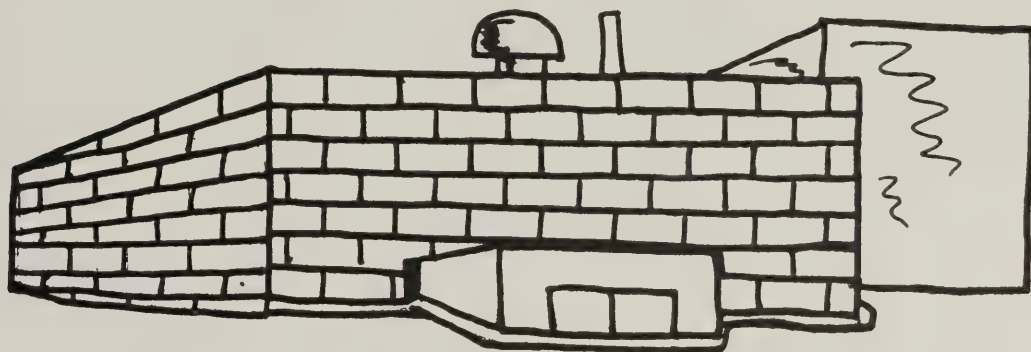
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